PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

RECIDIVISM REDUCTION SEED GRANT (\$24,000)

BETWEEN



COOK COUNTY GOVERNMENT JUSTICE ADVISORY COUNCIL OF COOK COUNTY

AND

CHICAGO LAWYERS COMMITTEE FOR CIVIL RIGHTS UNDER LAW, INC.

CONTRACT NO. 1553-14329B

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AGREEMENT

This Agreement is made and entered into by and between the County of Cook, a public body corporate of the State of Illinois, on behalf of Office of the Chief Procurement Officer hereinafter referred to as "County" and L.A.F., doing business as a Corporation of the State of Illinois, hereinafter referred to as "Contractor.

BACKGROUND

The County of Cook issued a Request for Proposals "RFP" for Recidivism Reduction Seed Grant (\$24,000). Proposals were evaluated in accordance with the evaluation criteria published in the RFP. The Contractor was selected based on the proposal submitted and evaluated by the County representatives.

Contractor represents that it has the professional experience and expertise to provide the necessary services and further warrants that it is ready, willing and able to perform in accordance with the terms and conditions as set forth in this Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, the County and Contractor agree as follows:

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

ARTICLE 1: INCORPORATION OF BACKGROUND

The Background information set forth above is incorporated by reference as if fully set forth here.

ARTICLE2: DEFINITIONS

a) Definitions

The following words and phrases have the following meanings for purposes of this Agreement:

"Additional Services" means those services which are within the general scope of Services of this Agreement, but beyond the description of services required under Article 3, and all services reasonably necessary to complete the Additional Services to the standards of performance required by this Agreement. Any Additional Services requested by the Using Agency require the approval of the Chief Procurement Officer in a written amendment to this Agreement before Contractor is obligated to perform those Additional Services and before the County becomes obligated to pay for those Additional Services.

"Agreement" means this Professional Services Agreement, including all exhibits attached to it and incorporated in it by reference, and all amendments, modifications or revisions made in accordance with its terms.

"Chief Procurement Officer" means the Chief Procurement Officer for the County of Cook and any representative duly authorized in writing to act on his behalf.

"Services" means, collectively, the services, duties and responsibilities described in Article 3 of this Agreement and any and all work necessary to complete them or carry them out fully and to the standard of performance required in this Agreement.

"Subcontractor" means any person or entity with whom Contractor contracts to provide any part of the Services, of any tier, suppliers and materials providers, whether or not in privity with Contractor.

"Using Agency" shall mean the department of agency within Cook County including elected officials.

b) Interpretation

- i) The term "include" (in all its forms) means "include, without limitation" unless the context clearly states otherwise.
- ii) All references in this Agreement to Articles, Sections or Exhibits, unless otherwise expressed or indicated are to the Articles, Sections or Exhibits of this Agreement.
- Words importing persons include firms, associations, partnerships, trusts, corporations and other legal entities, including public bodies, as well as natural persons.
- iv) Any headings preceding the text of the Articles and Sections of this Agreement, and any tables of contents or marginal notes appended to it are solely for convenience or reference and do not constitute a part of this Agreement, nor do they affect the meaning, construction or effect of this Agreement.
- v) Words importing the singular include the plural and vice versa. Words of the masculine gender include the correlative words of the feminine and neuter genders.
- vi) All references to a number of days mean calendar days, unless expressly indicated otherwise.

c) Incorporation of Exhibits

The following attached Exhibits are made a part of this Agreement:

Exhibit 1 Scope of Services

Exhibit 2 Schedule of Compensation

Exhibit 3 Evidence of Insurance

ARTICLE 3: DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF CONTRACTOR

a) Scope of Services

This description of Services is intended to be general in nature and is neither a complete description of Contractor's Services nor a limitation on the Services that Contractor is to provide under this Agreement. Contractor must provide the Services in accordance with the standards of performance set forth in Section 3c. The Services that Contractor must provide include, but are not limited to, those described in <u>Exhibit 1</u>, Scope of Services and Time Limits for Performance, which is attached to this Agreement and incorporated by reference as if fully set forth here.

b) Deliverables

In carrying out its Services, Contractor must prepare or provide to the County various Deliverables. "Deliverables" include work product, such as written reviews, recommendations, reports and analyses, produced by Contractor for the County.

The County may reject Deliverables that do not include relevant information or data, or do not include all documents or other materials specified in this Agreement or reasonably necessary for the purpose for which the County made this Agreement or for which the County intends to use the Deliverables. If the County determines that Contractor has failed to comply with the foregoing standards, it has 30 days from the discovery to notify Contractor of its failure. If Contractor does not correct the failure, if it is possible to do so, within 30 days after receipt of notice from the County specifying the failure, then the County, by written notice, may treat the failure as a default of this Agreement under Article 9.

Partial or incomplete Deliverables may be accepted for review only when required for a specific and well-defined purpose and when consented to in advance by the County. Such Deliverables will not be considered as satisfying the requirements of this Agreement and partial or incomplete Deliverables in no way relieve Contractor of its commitments under this Agreement.

c) Standard of Performance

Contractor must perform all Services required of it under this Agreement with that degree of skill, care and diligence normally shown by a Contractor performing services of a scope and purpose and magnitude comparable with the nature of the Services to be provided under this Agreement. Contractor acknowledges that it is entrusted with or has access to valuable and confidential information and records of the County and with respect to that information, Contractor agrees to be held to the standard of care of a fiduciary.

Contractor must assure that all Services that require the exercise of professional skills or judgment are accomplished by professionals qualified and competent in the applicable discipline and appropriately licensed, if required by law. Contractor must provide copies of any such licenses. Contractor remains responsible for the professional and technical accuracy of all Services or Deliverables furnished, whether by Contractor or its Subcontractors or others on its behalf. All Deliverables must be prepared in a form and content satisfactory to the Using Agency and delivered in a timely manner consistent with the requirements of this Agreement.

If Contractor fails to comply with the foregoing standards, Contractor must perform again, at its own expense, all Services required to be re-performed as a direct or indirect result of that failure. Any review, approval, acceptance or payment for any of the Services by the County does not relieve Contractor of its responsibility for the professional skill and care and technical accuracy of its Services and Deliverables. This provision in no way limits the County's rights against Contractor either under this Agreement, at law or in equity.

d) Personnel

i) Adequate Staffing

Contractor must, upon receiving a fully executed copy of this Agreement, assign and maintain during the term of this Agreement and any extension of it an adequate staff of competent personnel that is fully equipped, licensed as appropriate, available as needed, qualified and assigned exclusively to perform the Services. Contractor must include among its staff the Key Personnel and positions as identified below. The level of staffing may be revised from time to time by notice in writing from Contractor to the County and with written consent of the County, which consent the County will not withhold unreasonably. If the County fails to object to the revision within 14 days after receiving the notice, then the revision will be considered accepted by the County.

ii) Key Personnel

Contractor must not reassign or replace Key Personnel without the written consent of the County, which consent the County will not unreasonably withhold. "Key Personnel" means those job titles and the persons assigned to those positions in accordance with the provisions of this Section 3.d(ii). The Using Agency may at any time in writing notify Contractor that the County will no longer accept performance of Services under this Agreement by one or more Key Personnel listed. Upon that notice Contractor must immediately suspend the services of the key person or persons and must replace him or them in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. A list of Key Personnel is found in Exhibit 1, Scope of Services.

iii) Salaries and Wages

Contractor and Subcontractors must pay all salaries and wages due all employees performing Services under this Agreement unconditionally and at least once a month without deduction or rebate on any account, except only for those payroll deductions that are mandatory by law or are permitted under applicable law and regulations. If in the performance of this Agreement Contractor underpays any such salaries or wages, the Comptroller for the County may withhold, out of payments due to Contractor, an amount sufficient to pay to employees underpaid the difference between the salaries or wages required to be paid under this Agreement and the salaries or wages actually paid these employees for the total number of hours worked. The amounts withheld may be disbursed by the Comptroller for and on account of Contractor to the respective employees to whom they are due. The parties acknowledge that this Section 3.d(iii) is solely for the benefit of the County and that it does not grant any third party beneficiary rights.

e) Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprises Commitment

In the performance of this Agreement, including the procurement and lease of materials or equipment, Contractor must abide by the minority and women's business enterprise commitment requirements of the Cook County Ordinance, (Article IV, Section 34-267 through 272) except to the extent waived by the Compliance Director. There is a zero percent (0%) MBE/WBE goal for this contract.

f) Insurance

Contractor must provide and maintain at Contractor's own expense, during the term of this Agreement and any time period following expiration if Contractor is required to return and perform any of the Services or Additional Services under this Agreement, the insurance coverages and requirements specified below, insuring all operations related to this Agreement.

i) Insurance To Be Provided

(1) Workers Compensation and Employers Liability

Workers Compensation Insurance, as prescribed by applicable law, covering all employees who are to provide a service under this Agreement and Employers Liability coverage with limits of not less than \$500,000 each accident or illness.

(2) <u>Commercial General Liability</u> (Primary and Umbrella)

Commercial General Liability Insurance or equivalent with limits of not less than \$2,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury, personal injury and property damage liability. Coverages must include the following: All premises and operations, products/completed operations, separation of insureds, defense and contractual liability (with no limitation endorsement). Cook County is to be named as an additional insured on a primary, non-contributory basis for any liability arising directly or indirectly from the Services.

Subcontractors performing Services for Contractor must maintain limits of not less than \$1,000,000 with the same terms in this Section 3.i(2).

(3) Automobile Liability (Primary and Umbrella)

When any motor vehicles (owned, non-owned and hired) are used in connection with Services to be performed, Contractor must provide Automobile Liability Insurance with limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence limit, for bodily injury and property damage. The County is to be named as an additional insured on a primary, non-contributory basis.

(4) <u>Professional Liability</u>

When any professional Contractors perform Services in connection with this Agreement, Professional Liability Insurance covering acts, errors or omissions must be maintained with limits of not less than \$2,000,000. Coverage must include contractual liability. When policies are renewed or replaced, the policy retroactive date must coincide with, or precede, start of Services on this Agreement. A claims-made policy which is not renewed or replaced must have an extended reporting period of 2 years.

Subcontractors performing Services for Contractor must maintain limits of not less than \$1,000,000 with the same terms in this Section 3.i(4).

(5) <u>Valuable Papers</u>

When any designs, drawings, specifications and documents are produced or used under this Agreement, Valuable Papers Insurance must be maintained in an amount to insure against any loss whatsoever, and must have limits sufficient to pay for the re-creation and reconstruction of such records.

ii) Additional Requirements

(1) Contractor must furnish the County of Cook, Cook County, Office of the Chief Procurement Officer, 118 N, Clark St., Room 1018, Chicago, IL 60602, original Certificates of Insurance, or such similar evidence, to be in force on the date of this Agreement, and Renewal Certificates of Insurance, or such similar evidence, if the coverages have an expiration or renewal date occurring during the term of this Agreement. Contractor must submit evidence of insurance on the County Insurance Certificate Form (copy attached as Exhibit 3) or equivalent prior to the effective date of the Agreement. The receipt of any certificate does not constitute agreement by the County that the insurance requirements in this Agreement have been fully met or that the insurance policies indicated on the certificate are in compliance with all Agreement requirements. The failure of the County to obtain certificates or other insurance evidence from Contractor is not a waiver by the County of any requirements for Contractor to obtain and maintain the specified coverages. Contractor must advise all insurers of the provisions in this Agreement regarding insurance. Non-conforming insurance does not relieve Contractor of the obligation to provide insurance as specified in this Agreement. Nonfulfillment of the insurance conditions may constitute a violation of this Agreement, and the County retains the right to terminate this Agreement or to suspend this Agreement until proper evidence of insurance is provided.

- (2) The insurance must provide for 60 days prior written notice to be given to the County in the event coverage is substantially changed, canceled or non-renewed. All deductibles or self-insured retentions on referenced insurance coverages must be borne by Contractor. Contractor agrees that insurers waive their rights of subrogation against the County of Cook, its employees, elected officials, agents or representatives.
- (3) The coverages and limits furnished by Contractor in no way limit Contractor's liabilities and responsibilities specified within this Agreement or by law. Any insurance or self-insurance programs maintained by the County of Cook apply in excess of and do not contribute with insurance provided by Contractor under this Agreement.
- (4) The required insurance is not limited by any limitations expressed in the indemnification language in this Agreement or any limitation placed on the indemnity in this Agreement given as a matter of law.
- (5) Contractor must require all Subcontractors to provide the insurance required in this Agreement, or Contractor may provide the coverages for Subcontractors. All Subcontractors are subject to the same insurance requirements as Contractor unless otherwise specified in this Agreement. If Contractor or Subcontractor desires additional coverages, the party desiring the additional coverages is responsible for its acquisition and cost.
- (6) The County's Risk Management Office maintains the rights to modify, delete, alter or change these requirements. "Risk Management Office" means the Risk Management Office, which is under the direction of the Director of Risk Management and is charged with reviewing and analyzing insurance and related liability matters for the County.

g) Indemnification

The Contractor covenants and agrees to indemnify and save harmless the County and its commissioners, officials, employees, agents and representatives, and their respective heirs, successors and assigns, from and against any and all costs, expenses, attorney's fees, losses, damages and liabilities incurred or suffered directly or indirectly from or attributable to any claims arising out of or incident to the performance or nonperformance of the Contract by the Contractor, or the acts or omissions of the officers, agents, employees, Contractors, subcontractors, licensees or invitees of the Contractor. The Contractor expressly understands and agrees that any Performance Bond or insurance protection required of the Contractor, or otherwise provided by the Contractor, shall in no way limit the responsibility to indemnify the County as hereinabove provided.

h) Confidentiality and Ownership of Documents

Contractor acknowledges and agrees that information regarding this Contract is confidential and shall not be disclosed, directly, indirectly or by implication, or be used by Contractor in any way, whether during the term of this Contract or at any time thereafter, except solely as required in the course of Contractor's performance hereunder. Contractor shall comply with the applicable privacy laws and regulations affecting County and will not disclose any of County's records, materials, or other data to any third party. Contractor shall not have the right to compile and distribute statistical analyses and reports utilizing data derived from information or data obtained from County without the prior written approval of County. In the event such approval is given, any such reports published and distributed by Contractor shall be furnished to County without charge.

All documents, data, studies, reports, work product or product created as a result of the performance of the Contract (the "Documents") shall be included in the Deliverables and shall be the property of the County of Cook. It shall be a breach of this Contract for the Contractor to reproduce or use any documents, data, studies, reports, work product or product obtained from the County of Cook or any Documents created hereby, whether such reproduction or use is for Contractor's own purposes or for those of any third party. During the performance of the Contract Contractor shall be responsible of any loss or damage to the Documents while they are in Contractor's possession, and any such loss or damage shall be restored at the expense of the Contractor. The County and its designees shall be afforded full access to the Documents and the work at all times.

i) Patents, Copyrights and Licenses

If applicable, Contractor shall furnish the Chief Procurement Officer with all licenses required for the County to utilize any software, including firmware or middleware, provided by Contractor as part of the Deliverables. Such licenses shall be clearly marked with a reference to the number of this County Contract. Contractor shall also furnish a copy of such licenses to the Chief Procurement Officer. Unless otherwise stated in these Contract documents, such licenses shall be perpetual and shall not limit the number of persons who may utilize the software on behalf of the County.

Contractor agrees to hold harmless and indemnify the County, its officers, agents, employees and affiliates from and defend, as permitted by Illinois law, at its own expense (including reasonable attorneys', accountants' and Contractors' fees), any suit or proceeding brought against County based upon a claim that the ownership and/or use of equipment, hardware and software or any part thereof provided to the County or utilized in performing Contractor's services constitutes an infringement of any patent, copyright or license or any other property right.

In the event the use of any equipment, hardware or software or any part thereof is enjoined, Contractor with all reasonable speed and due diligence shall provide or otherwise secure for County, at the Contractor's election, one of the following: the right to continue use of the equipment, hardware or software; an equivalent system having the Specifications as provided in this Contract; or Contractor shall modify the system or its component parts so that they become non-infringing while performing in a substantially similar manner to the original system, meeting the requirements of this Contract.

j) Examination of Records and Audits

The Contractor agrees that the Cook County Auditor or any of its duly authorized representatives shall, until expiration of three (3) years after the final payment under the Contract, have access and the right to examine any books, documents, papers, canceled checks, bank statements, purveyor's and other invoices, and records of the Contractor related to the Contract, or to Contractor's compliance with any term, condition or provision thereof. The Contractor shall be responsible for establishing and maintaining records sufficient to document the costs associated with performance under the terms of this Contract.

The Contractor further agrees that it shall include in all of its subcontracts hereunder a provision to the effect that the Subcontractor agrees that the Cook County Auditor or any of its duly authorized representatives shall, until expiration of three (3) years after final payment under the subcontract, have access and the right to examine any books, documents, papers, canceled checks, bank statements, purveyor's and other invoices and records of such Subcontractor involving transactions relating to the subcontract, or to such Subcontractor compliance with any term, condition or provision thereunder or under the Contract.

In the event the Contractor receives payment under the Contract, reimbursement for which is later disallowed by the County, the Contractor shall promptly refund the disallowed amount to the County on request, or at the County's option, the County may credit the amount disallowed from the next payment due or to become due to the Contractor under any contract with the County.

To the extent this Contract pertains to Deliverables which may be reimbursable under the Medicaid or Medicare Programs, Contractor shall retain and make available upon request, for a period of four (4) years after furnishing services pursuant to this Agreement, the contract, books, documents and records which are necessary to certify the nature and extent of the costs of such services if requested by the Secretary of Health and Human Services or the Comptroller General of the United States or any of their duly authorized representatives.

If Contractor carries out any of its duties under the Agreement through a subcontract with a related organization involving a value of cost of \$10,000.00 or more over a 12 month period, Contractor will cause such subcontract to contain a clause to the effect that, until the expiration of four years after the furnishing of any service pursuant to said subcontract, the related organization will make available upon request of the Secretary of Health and Human Services or the Comptroller General of the United States or any of their duly authorized representatives, copies of said subcontract and any books, documents, records and other data of said related organization that are necessary to certify the nature and extent of such costs. This paragraph relating to the retention and production of documents is included because of possible application of Section 1861(v)(1)(I) of the Social Security Act to this Agreement; if this Section should be found to be inapplicable, then this paragraph shall be deemed inoperative and without force and effect.

k) Subcontracting or Assignment of Contract or Contract Funds

Once awarded, this Contract shall not be subcontracted or assigned, in whole or in part, without the advance written approval of the Chief Procurement Officer, which approval shall be granted or withheld at the sole discretion of the Chief Procurement Officer. In no case, however, shall such approval relieve the Contractor from its obligations or change the terms of the Contract. The Contractor shall not transfer or assign any Contract funds or any interest therein due or to become due without the advance written approval of the Chief Procurement Officer. The unauthorized subcontracting or assignment of the Contract, in whole or in part, or the unauthorized transfer or assignment of any Contract funds, either in whole or in part, or any interest therein, which shall be due or are to become due the Contractor shall have no effect on the County and are null and void.

Prior to the commencement of the Contract, the Contractor shall identify in writing to the Chief Procurement Officer the names of any and all Subcontractors it intends to use in the performance of the Contract by completing the Identification of Subcontractor/Supplier/Subcontractor Form ("ISF"). The Chief Procurement Officer shall have the right to disapprove any Subcontractor. All Subcontractors shall be subject to the terms of this Contract. Contractor shall incorporate into all subcontracts all of the provisions of the Contract which affect such subcontract. Copies of subcontracts shall be provided to the Chief Procurement Officer upon request.

The Contractor must disclose the name and business address of each Subcontractor, attorney, lobbyist, accountant, Contractor and any other person or entity whom the Contractor has retained or expects to retain in connection with the Matter, as well as the nature of the relationship, and the total amount of the fees paid or estimated to be paid. The Contractor is not required to disclose employees who are paid or estimated to be paid. The Contractor is not required to disclose employees who are paid solely through the Contractor's regular payroll. "Lobbyist" means any person or entity who undertakes to influence any legislation or administrative action on behalf of any person or entity other than: (1) a not-for-profit entity, on an unpaid basis, or (2), himself.

"Lobbyist" also means any person or entity any part of whose duties as an employee of another includes undertaking to influence any legislative or administrative action. If the Contractor is uncertain whether a disclosure is required under this Section, the Contractor must either ask the County, whether disclosure is required or make the disclosure.

The County reserves the right to prohibit any person from entering any County facility for any reason. All Contractors and Subcontractor of the Contractor shall be accountable to the Chief Procurement Officer or his designee while on any County property and shall abide by all rules and regulations imposed by the County.

1) Professional Social Services

In accordance with 34-146, of the Cook County Procurement Code, all Contractors or providers providing services under a Professional Social Service Contracts or Professional Social Services Agreements, shall submit an annual performance report to the Using Agency, i.e., the agency for whom the Contractor or provider is providing the professional social services, that includes but is not limited to relevant statistics, an empirical analysis where applicable, and a written narrative describing the goals and objectives of the contract or agreement and programmatic outcomes. The annual performance report shall be provided and reported to the Cook County Board of Commissioners by the applicable Using Agency within forty-five days of receipt. Failure of the Contractor or provider to provide an annual performance report will be considered a breach of contract or agreement by the Contractor or provider, and may result in termination of the Contract or agreement.

For purposes of this Section, a Professional Social Service Contract or Professional Social Service Agreement shall mean any contract or agreement with a social service provider, including other governmental agencies, nonprofit organizations, or for profit business enterprises engaged in the field of and providing social services, juvenile justice, mental health treatment, alternative sentencing, offender rehabilitation, recidivism reduction, foster care, substance abuse treatment, domestic violence services, community transitioning services, intervention, or such other similar services which provide mental, social or physical treatment and services to individuals. Said Professional Social Service Contracts or Professional Social Service Agreements do not include CCHHS managed care contracts that CCHHS may enter into with health care providers.

ARTICLE 4: TERM OF PERFORMANCE

a) Term of Performance

This Agreement takes effect when approved by the Cook County Chief Procurement Officer and its term shall be from July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016, or until this Agreement is terminated in accordance with its terms, whichever occurs first.

b) Timeliness of Performance

- i) Contractor must provide the Services and Deliverables within the term and within the time limits required under this Agreement, pursuant to the provisions of Section 4.a and Exhibit 1. Further, Contractor acknowledges that TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE and that the failure of Contractor to comply with the time limits described in this Section 4.b may result in economic or other losses to the County.
- ii) Neither Contractor nor Contractor's agents, employees nor Subcontractors are entitled to any damages from the County, nor is any party entitled to be reimbursed by the County, for damages, charges or other losses or expenses incurred by Contractor by reason of delays or hindrances in the performance of the Services, whether or not caused by the County.

c) Agreement Extension Option

The Chief Procurement Officer may at any time before this Agreement expires elect to extend this contract under the same terms and conditions as this original Agreement, except as provided otherwise in this Agreement, by notice in writing to Contractor. After notification by the Chief Procurement Officer, this Agreement must be modified to reflect the time extension in accordance with the provisions of Section 10.c.

ARTICLE 5: COMPENSATION

a) Basis of Payment

The County will pay Contractor according to the Schedule of Compensation in the attached Exhibit 2 for the successful completion of services.

b) Method of Payment

All invoices submitted by the Contractor shall be in accordance with the cost provisions contained in the Agreement and shall contain a detailed description of the Deliverables, including the quantity of the Deliverables, for which payment is requested. All invoices for services shall include itemized entries indicating the date or time period in which the services were provided, the amount of time spent performing the services, and a detailed description of the services provided during the period of the invoice. All invoices shall reflect the amounts invoiced by and the amounts paid to the Contractor as of the date of the invoice. Invoices for new charges shall not include "past due" amounts, if any, which amounts must be set forth on a separate invoice. Contractor shall not be entitled to invoice the County for any late fees or other penalties.

In accordance with Section 34-177 of the Cook County Procurement Code, the County shall have a right to set off and subtract from any invoice(s) or Contract price, a sum equal to any fines and penalties, including interest, for any tax or fee delinquency and any debt or obligation owed by the Contractor to the County.

The Contractor acknowledges its duty to ensure the accuracy of all invoices submitted to the County for payment. By submitting the invoices, the Contractor certifies that all itemized entries set forth in the invoices are true and correct. The Contractor acknowledges that by submitting the invoices, it certifies that it has delivered the Deliverables, i.e., the goods, supplies, services or equipment set forth in the Agreement to the Using Agency, or that it has properly performed the services set forth in the Agreement. The invoice must also reflect the dates and amount of time expended in the provision of services under the Agreement. The Contractor acknowledges that any inaccurate statements or negligent or intentional misrepresentations in the invoices shall result in the County exercising all remedies available to it in law and equity including, but not limited to, a delay in payment or non-payment to the Contractor, and reporting the matter to the Cook County Office of the Independent Inspector General.

When a Contractor receives any payment from the County for any supplies, equipment, goods, or services, it has provided to the County pursuant to its Agreement, the Contractor must make payment to its Subcontractors within 15 days after receipt of payment from the County, provided that such Subcontractor has satisfactorily provided the supplies, equipment, goods or services in accordance with the Contract and provided the Contractor with all of the documents and information required of the Contractor. The Contractor may delay or postpone payment to a Subcontractor when the Subcontractor's supplies, equipment, goods, or services do not comply with the requirements of the Contract, the Contractor is acting in good faith, and not in retaliation for a Subcontractor exercising legal or contractual rights.

c) Funding

The source of funds for payments under this Agreement is identified in Exhibit 2, Schedule of Compensation. Payments under this Agreement must not exceed the dollar amount shown in Exhibit 2 without a written amendment in accordance with Section 10.c.

d) Non-Appropriation

If no funds or insufficient funds are appropriated and budgeted in any fiscal period of the County for payments to be made under this Agreement, then the County will notify Contractor in writing of that occurrence, and this Agreement will terminate on the earlier of the last day of the fiscal period for which sufficient appropriation was made or whenever the funds appropriated for payment under this Agreement are exhausted. Payments for Services completed to the date of notification will be made to Contractor. No payments will be made or due to Contractor and under this Agreement beyond those amounts appropriated and budgeted by the County to fund payments under this Agreement.

e) Taxes

Federal Excise Tax does not apply to materials purchased by the County by virtue of Exemption Certificate No. 36-75-0038K. Illinois Retailers' Occupation Tax, Use Tax and Municipal Retailers' Occupation Tax do not apply to deliverables, materials or services purchased by the County by virtue of statute. The price or prices quoted herein shall include any and all other federal and/or state, direct and/or indirect taxes which apply to this Contract. The County's State of Illinois Sales Tax Exemption Identification No. is E-9998-2013-07.

f) Price Reduction

If at any time after the contract award, Contractor makes a general price reduction in the price of any of the Deliverables, the equivalent price reduction based on similar quantities and/or considerations shall apply to this Contract for the duration of the Contract period. For purposes of this Section 5.f., Price Reduction, a general price reduction shall include reductions in the effective price charged by Contractor by reason of rebates, financial incentives, discounts, value points or other benefits with respect to the purchase of the Deliverables. Such price reductions shall be effective at the same time and in the same manner as the reduction Contractor makes in the price of the Deliverables to its prospective customers generally.

g) Contractor Credits

To the extent the Contractor gives credits toward future purchases of goods or services, financial incentives, discounts, value points or other benefits based on the purchase of the materials or services provided for under this Contract, such credits belong to the County and not any specific Using Agency. Contractor shall reflect any such credits on its invoices and in the amounts it invoices the County.

ARTICLE 6: DISPUTES

Any dispute arising under the Contract between the County and Contractor shall be decided by the Chief Procurement Officer. The complaining party shall submit a written statement detailing the dispute and specifying the specific relevant Contract provision(s) to the Chief Procurement Officer. Upon request of the Chief Procurement Officer, the party complained against shall respond to the complaint in writing within five days of such request. The Chief Procurement Officer will reduce her decision to writing and mail or otherwise furnish a copy thereof to the Contractor. The decision of the Chief Procurement Officer will be final and binding. Dispute resolution as provided herein shall be a condition precedent to any other action at law or in equity. However, unless a notice is issued by the Chief Procurement Officer indicating that additional time is required to review a dispute, the parties may exercise their contractual remedies, if any, if no decision is made within sixty (60) days following notification to the Chief Procurement Officer of a dispute. No inference shall be drawn from the absence of a decision by the Chief Procurement Officer.

Notwithstanding a dispute, Contractor shall continue to discharge all its obligations, duties and responsibilities set forth in the Contract during any dispute resolution proceeding unless otherwise agreed to by the County in writing.

ARTICLE 7: COOPERATION WITH INSPECTOR GENERAL AND COMPLIANCE WITH ALL LAWS

The Contractor, Subcontractor, licensees, grantees or persons or businesses who have a County contract, grant, license, or certification of eligibility for County contracts shall abide by all of the applicable provisions of the Office of the Independent Inspector General Ordinance (Section 2-281 et. seq. of the Cook County Code of Ordinances). Failure to cooperate as required may result in monetary and/or other penalties.

The Contractor shall observe and comply with the laws, ordinances, regulations and codes of the Federal, State, County and other local government agencies which may in any manner affect the performance of the Contract including, but not limited to, those County Ordinances set forth in the Certifications attached hereto and incorporated herein. Assurance of compliance with this requirement by the Contractor's employees, agents or Subcontractor shall be the responsibility of the Contractor.

The Contractor shall secure and pay for all federal, state and local licenses, permits and fees required hereunder.

ARTICLE 8: SPECIAL CONDITIONS

a) Warranties and Representations

In connection with signing and carrying out this Agreement, Contractor:

- i) warrants that Contractor is appropriately licensed under Illinois law to perform the Services required under this Agreement and will perform no Services for which a professional license is required by law and for which Contractor is not appropriately licensed;
- ii) warrants it is financially solvent; it and each of its employees, agents and Subcontractors of any tier are competent to perform the Services required under this Agreement; and Contractor is legally authorized to execute and perform or cause to be performed this Agreement under the terms and conditions stated in this Agreement;
- iii) warrants that it will not knowingly use the services of any ineligible Contractor or Subcontractor for any purpose in the performance of its Services under this Agreement;

- iv) warrants that Contractor and its Subcontractors are not in default at the time this Agreement is signed, and has not been considered by the Chief Procurement Officer to have, within 5 years immediately preceding the date of this Agreement, been found to be in default on any contract awarded by the County;
- v) represents that it has carefully examined and analyzed the provisions and requirements of this Agreement; it understands the nature of the Services required; from its own analysis it has satisfied itself as to the nature of all things needed for the performance of this Agreement; this Agreement is feasible of performance in accordance with all of its provisions and requirements, and Contractor warrants it can and will perform, or cause to be performed, the Services in strict accordance with the provisions and requirements of this Agreement;
- vi) represents that Contractor and, to the best of its knowledge, its Subcontractors are not in violation of the provisions of the Illinois Criminal Code, 720 ILCS 5/33E as amended; and
- vii) acknowledges that any certification, affidavit or acknowledgment made under oath in connection with this Agreement is made under penalty of perjury and, if false, is also cause for termination under Sections 9.a and 9.c.

b) Ethics

- i) In addition to the foregoing warranties and representations, Contractor warrants:
 - (1) no officer, agent or employee of the County is employed by Contractor or has a financial interest directly or indirectly in this Agreement or the compensation to be paid under this Agreement except as may be permitted in writing by the Board of Ethics.
 - (2) no payment, gratuity or offer of employment will be made in connection with this Agreement by or on behalf of any Subcontractors to the prime Contractor or higher tier Subcontractors or anyone associated with them, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

c) Joint and Several Liability

If Contractor, or its successors or assigns, if any, is comprised of more than one individual or other legal entity (or a combination of them), then under this Agreement, each and without limitation every obligation or undertaking in this Agreement to be fulfilled or performed by Contractor is the joint and several obligation or undertaking of each such individual or other legal entity.

d) Business Documents

At the request of the County, Contractor must provide copies of its latest articles of incorporation, by-laws and resolutions, or partnership or joint venture agreement, as applicable.

e) Conflicts of Interest

- i) No member of the governing body of the County or other unit of government and no other officer, employee or agent of the County or other unit of government who exercises any functions or responsibilities in connection with the Services to which this Agreement pertains is permitted to have any personal interest, direct or indirect, in this Agreement. No member of or delegate to the Congress of the United States or the Illinois General Assembly and no Commissioner of the Cook County Board or County employee is allowed to be admitted to any share or part of this Agreement or to any financial benefit to arise from it.
- ii) Contractor covenants that it, and to the best of its knowledge, its Subcontractors if any (collectively, "Consulting Parties"), presently have no direct or indirect interest and will not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, in any project or contract that would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of its Services under this Agreement.
- Upon the request of the County, Contractor must disclose to the County its past client list and the names of any clients with whom it has an ongoing relationship. Contractor is not permitted to perform any Services for the County on applications or other documents submitted to the County by any of Contractor's past or present clients. If Contractor becomes aware of a conflict, it must immediately stop work on the assignment causing the conflict and notify the County.
- iv) Without limiting the foregoing, if the Consulting Parties assist the County in determining the advisability or feasibility of a project or in recommending, researching, preparing, drafting or issuing a request for proposals or bid specifications for a project, the Consulting Parties must not participate, directly or indirectly, as a prime, Subcontractor or joint venturer in that project or in the preparation of a proposal or bid for that project during the term of this Agreement or afterwards. The Consulting Parties may, however, assist the County in reviewing the proposals or bids for the project if none of the Consulting Parties have a relationship with the persons or entities that submitted the proposals or bids for that project.

- v) The Contractor further covenants that, in the performance of this Agreement, no person having any conflicting interest will be assigned to perform any Services or have access to any confidential information, as defined in Section 3.h of this Agreement. If the County, by the Chief Procurement Officer in his reasonable judgment, determines that any of Contractor's Services for others conflict with the Services Contractor is to render for the County under this Agreement, Contractor must terminate such other services immediately upon request of the County.
- vi) Furthermore, if any federal funds are to be used to compensate or reimburse Contractor under this Agreement, Contractor represents that it is and will remain in compliance with federal restrictions on lobbying set forth in Section 319 of the Department of the Interior and Related Agencies Appropriations Act for Fiscal year 1990, 31 U.S.C. § 1352, and related rules and regulations set forth at 54 Fed. Reg. 52,309 ff. (1989), as amended. If federal funds are to be used, Contractor must execute a Certification Regarding Lobbying, which will be attached as an exhibit and incorporated by reference as if fully set forth here.

f) Non-Liability of Public Officials

Contractor and any assignee or Subcontractor of Contractor must not charge any official, employee or agent of the County personally with any liability or expenses of defense or hold any official, employee or agent of the County personally liable to them under any term or provision of this Agreement or because of the County's execution, attempted execution or any breach of this Agreement.

ARTICLE 9: EVENTS OF DEFAULT, REMEDIES, TERMINATION, SUSPENSION AND RIGHT TO OFFSET

a) Events of Default Defined

The following constitute events of default:

- i) Any material misrepresentation, whether negligent or willful and whether in the inducement or in the performance, made by Contractor to the County.
- ii) Contractor's material failure to perform any of its obligations under this Agreement including the following:
 - (a) Failure due to a reason or circumstances within Contractor's reasonable control to perform the Services with sufficient personnel and equipment or with sufficient material to ensure the performance of the Services;

- (b) Failure to perform the Services in a manner reasonably satisfactory to the Chief Procurement Officer or inability to perform the Services satisfactorily as a result of insolvency, filing for bankruptcy or assignment for the benefit of creditors;
- (c) Failure to promptly re-perform within a reasonable time Services that were rejected as erroneous or unsatisfactory;
- (d) Discontinuance of the Services for reasons within Contractor's reasonable control; and
- (e) Failure to comply with any other material term of this Agreement, including the provisions concerning insurance and nondiscrimination.
- iii) Any change in ownership or control of Contractor without the prior written approval of the Chief Procurement Officer, which approval the Chief Procurement Officer will not unreasonably withhold.
- iv) Contractor's default under any other agreement it may presently have or may enter into with the County during the life of this Agreement. Contractor acknowledges and agrees that in the event of a default under this Agreement the County may also declare a default under any such other Agreements.
- v) Failure to comply with Article 7 in the performance of the Agreement.
- vi) Contractor's repeated or continued violations of County ordinances unrelated to performance under the Agreement that in the opinion of the Chief Procurement Officer indicate a willful or reckless disregard for County laws and regulations.

b) Remedies

The occurrence of any event of default permits the County, at the County's sole option, to declare Contractor in default. The Chief Procurement Officer may in his sole discretion give Contractor an opportunity to cure the default within a certain period of time, which period of time must not exceed 30 days, unless extended by the Chief Procurement Officer. Whether to declare Contractor in default is within the sole discretion of the Chief Procurement Officer and neither that decision nor the factual basis for it is subject to review or challenge under the Disputes provision of this Agreement.

The Chief Procurement Officer will give Contractor written notice of the default, either in the form of a cure notice ("Cure Notice"), or, if no opportunity to cure will be granted, a default notice ("Default Notice"). If the Chief Procurement Officer gives a Default Notice, he will also indicate any present intent he may have to terminate this Agreement, and the decision to terminate (but not the decision not to terminate) is final and effective upon giving the notice. The Chief Procurement Officer may give a Default Notice if Contractor fails to affect a cure within the cure period given in a Cure Notice. When a Default Notice with intent to terminate is given as provided in this Section 9.b and Article 11, Contractor must discontinue any Services, unless otherwise directed in the notice, and deliver all materials accumulated in the performance of this Agreement, whether completed or in the process, to the County. After giving a Default Notice, the County may invoke any or all of the following remedies:

- The right to take over and complete the Services, or any part of them, at Contractor's expense and as agent for Contractor, either directly or through others, and bill Contractor for the cost of the Services, and Contractor must pay the difference between the total amount of this bill and the amount the County would have paid Contractor under the terms and conditions of this Agreement for the Services that were assumed by the County as agent for the Contractor under this Section 9.b;
- ii) The right to terminate this Agreement as to any or all of the Services yet to be performed effective at a time specified by the County;
- iii) The right of specific performance, an injunction or any other appropriate equitable remedy;
- iv) The right to money damages;
- v) The right to withhold all or any part of Contractor's compensation under this Agreement;
- vi) The right to consider Contractor non-responsible in future contracts to be awarded by the County.

If the Chief Procurement Officer considers it to be in the County's best interests, he may elect not to declare default or to terminate this Agreement. The parties acknowledge that this provision is solely for the benefit of the County and that if the County permits Contractor to continue to provide the Services despite one or more events of default, Contractor is in no way relieved of any of its responsibilities, duties or obligations under this Agreement, nor does the County waive or relinquish any of its rights.

The remedies under the terms of this Agreement are not intended to be exclusive of any other remedies provided, but each and every such remedy is cumulative and is in addition to any other remedies, existing now or later, at law, in equity or by statute. No delay or omission to exercise any right or power accruing upon any event of default impairs any such right or power, nor is it a waiver of any event of default nor acquiescence in it, and every such right and power may be exercised from time to time and as often as the County considers expedient.

c) Early Termination

In addition to termination under Sections 9.a and 9.b of this Agreement, the County may terminate this Agreement, or all or any portion of the Services to be performed under it, at any time by a notice in writing from the County to Contractor. The County will give notice to Contractor in accordance with the provisions of Article 11. The effective date of termination will be the date the notice is received by Contractor or the date stated in the notice, whichever is later. If the County elects to terminate this Agreement in full, all Services to be provided under it must cease and all materials that may have been accumulated in performing this Agreement, whether completed or in the process, must be delivered to the County effective 10 days after the date the notice is considered received as provided under Article 11 of this Agreement (if no date is given) or upon the effective date stated in the notice.

After the notice is received, Contractor must restrict its activities, and those of its Subcontractors, to winding down any reports, analyses, or other activities previously begun. No costs incurred after the effective date of the termination are allowed. Payment for any Services actually and satisfactorily performed before the effective date of the termination is on the same basis as set forth in Article 5, but if any compensation is described or provided for on the basis of a period longer than 10 days, then the compensation must be prorated accordingly. No amount of compensation, however, is permitted for anticipated profits on unperformed Services. The County and Contractor must attempt to agree on the amount of compensation to be paid to Contractor, but if not agreed on, the dispute must be settled in accordance with Article 6 of this Agreement. The payment so made to Contractor is in full settlement for all Services satisfactorily performed under this Agreement.

Contractor must include in its contracts with Subcontractors an early termination provision in form and substance equivalent to this early termination provision to prevent claims against the County arising from termination of subcontracts after the early termination. Contractor will not be entitled to make any early termination claims against the County resulting from any Subcontractor's claims against Contractor or the County to the extent inconsistent with this provision.

If the County's election to terminate this Agreement for default under Sections 9.a and 9.b is determined in a court of competent jurisdiction to have been wrongful, then in that case the termination is to be considered to be an early termination under this Section 9.c.

d) Suspension

The County may at any time request that Contractor suspend its Services, or any part of them, by giving 15 days prior written notice to Contractor or upon informal oral, or even no notice, in the event of emergency. No costs incurred after the effective date of such suspension are allowed. Contractor must promptly resume its performance of the Services under the same terms and conditions as stated in this Agreement upon written notice by the Chief Procurement Officer and such equitable extension of time as may be mutually agreed upon by the Chief Procurement Officer and Contractor when necessary for continuation or completion of Services. Any additional costs or expenses actually incurred by Contractor as a result of recommencing the Services must be treated in accordance with the compensation provisions under Article 5 of this Agreement.

No suspension of this Agreement is permitted in the aggregate to exceed a period of 45 days within any one year of this Agreement. If the total number of days of suspension exceeds 45 days, Contractor by written notice may treat the suspension as an early termination of this Agreement under Section 9.c.

e) Right to Offset

In connection with performance under this Agreement, the County may offset any excess costs incurred:

- i) if the County terminates this Agreement for default or any other reason resulting from Contractor's performance or non-performance;
- ii) if the County exercises any of its remedies under Section 9.b of this Agreement; or
- iii) if the County has any credits due or has made any overpayments under this Agreement.

The County may offset these excess costs by use of any payment due for Services completed before the County terminated this Agreement or before the County exercised any remedies. If the amount offset is insufficient to cover those excess costs, Contractor is liable for and must promptly remit to the County the balance upon written demand for it. This right to offset is in addition to and not a limitation of any other remedies available to the County.

f) Delays

Contractor agrees that no charges or claims for damages shall be made by Contractor for any delays or hindrances from any cause whatsoever during the progress of any portion of this Contract.

g) Prepaid Fees

In the event this Contract is terminated by either party, for cause or otherwise, and the County has prepaid for any Deliverables, Contractor shall refund to the County, on a prorated basis to the effective date of termination, all amounts prepaid for Deliverables not actually provided as of the effective date of the termination. The refund shall be made within fourteen (14) days of the effective date of termination.

ARTICLE 10: GENERAL CONDITIONS

a) Entire Agreement

i) General

This Agreement, and the exhibits attached to it and incorporated in it, constitute the entire agreement between the parties and no other warranties, inducements, considerations, promises or interpretations are implied or impressed upon this Agreement that are not expressly addressed in this Agreement.

ii) No Collateral Agreements

Contractor acknowledges that, except only for those representations, statements or promises expressly contained in this Agreement and any exhibits attached to it and incorporated by reference in it, no representation, statement or promise, oral or in writing, of any kind whatsoever, by the County, its officials, agents or employees, has induced Contractor to enter into this Agreement or has been relied upon by Contractor, including any with reference to:

- (a) the meaning, correctness, suitability or completeness of any provisions or requirements of this Agreement;
- (b) the nature of the Services to be performed;
- (c) the nature, quantity, quality or volume of any materials, equipment, labor and other facilities needed for the performance of this Agreement;
- (d) the general conditions which may in any way affect this Agreement or its performance;
- (e) the compensation provisions of this Agreement; or
- (f) any other matters, whether similar to or different from those referred to in (a) through (e) immediately above, affecting or having any connection with this Agreement, its negotiation, any discussions of its performance or those employed or connected or concerned with it.

iii) No Omissions

Contractor acknowledges that Contractor was given an opportunity to review all documents forming this Agreement before signing this Agreement in order that it might request inclusion in this Agreement of any statement, representation, promise or provision that it desired or on that it wished to place reliance. Contractor did so review those documents, and either every such statement, representation, promise or provision has been included in this Agreement or else, if omitted, Contractor relinquishes the benefit of any such omitted statement, representation, promise or provision and is willing to perform this Agreement in its entirety without claiming reliance on it or making any other claim on account of its omission.

b) Counterparts

This Agreement is comprised of several identical counterparts, each to be fully signed by the parties and each to be considered an original having identical legal effect.

c) Contract Amendments

The parties may during the term of the Contract make amendments to the Contract but only as provided in this section. Such amendments shall only be made by mutual agreement in writing.

In the case of Contracts not approved by the Board, the Chief Procurement Officer may amend a contract provided that any such amendment does not extend the Contract by more than one (1) year, and further provided that the total cost of all such amendments does not increase the total amount of the Contract beyond \$150,000. Such action may only be made with the advance written approval of the Chief Procurement Officer. If the amendment extends the Contract beyond one (1) year or increases the total award amount beyond \$150,000, then Board approval will be required.

No Using Agency or employee thereof has authority to make any amendments to this Contract. Any amendments to this Contract made without the express written approval of the Chief Procurement Officer is void and unenforceable.

Contractor is hereby notified that, except for amendments which are made in accordance with this Section 10.c. Contract Amendments, no Using Agency or employee thereof has authority to make any amendment to this Contract.

d) Governing Law and Jurisdiction

This Contract shall be governed by and construed under the laws of the State of Illinois. The Contractor irrevocably agrees that, subject to the County's sole and absolute election to the contrary, any action or proceeding in any way, manner or respect arising out of the Contract, or arising from any dispute or controversy arising in connection with or related to the Contract, shall be litigated only in courts within the Circuit Court of Cook County, State of Illinois, and the Contractor consents and submits to the jurisdiction thereof. In accordance with these provisions, Contractor waives any right it may have to transfer or change the venue of any litigation brought against it by the County pursuant to this Contract.

e) Severability

If any provision of this Agreement is held or considered to be or is in fact invalid, illegal, inoperative or unenforceable as applied in any particular case in any jurisdiction or in all cases because it conflicts with any other provision or provisions of this Agreement or of any constitution, statute, ordinance, rule of law or public policy, or for any other reason, those circumstances do not have the effect of rendering the provision in question invalid, illegal, inoperative or unenforceable in any other case or circumstances, or of rendering any other provision or provisions in this Agreement invalid, illegal, inoperative or unenforceable to any extent whatsoever. The invalidity, illegality, inoperativeness or unenforceability of any one or more phrases, sentences, clauses or sections in this Agreement does not affect the remaining portions of this Agreement or any part of it.

f) Assigns

All of the terms and conditions of this Agreement are binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their respective legal representatives, successors and assigns.

g) Cooperation

Contractor must at all times cooperate fully with the County and act in the County's best interests. If this Agreement is terminated for any reason, or if it is to expire on its own terms, Contractor must make every effort to assure an orderly transition to another provider of the Services, if any, orderly demobilization of its own operations in connection with the Services, uninterrupted provision of Services during any transition period and must otherwise comply with the reasonable requests and requirements of the Using Agency in connection with the termination or expiration.

h) Waiver

Nothing in this Agreement authorizes the waiver of a requirement or condition contrary to law or ordinance or that would result in or promote the violation of any federal, state or local law or ordinance.

Whenever under this Agreement the County by a proper authority waives Contractor's performance in any respect or waives a requirement or condition to either the County's or Contractor's performance, the waiver so granted, whether express or implied, only applies to the particular instance and is not a waiver forever or for subsequent instances of the performance, requirement or condition. No such waiver is a modification of this Agreement regardless of the number of times the County may have waived the performance, requirement or condition. Such waivers must be provided to Contractor in writing.

i) Independent Contractor

This Agreement is not intended to and will not constitute, create, give rise to, or otherwise recognize a joint venture, partnership, corporation or other formal business association or organization of any kind between Contractor and the County. The rights and the obligations of the parties are only those expressly set forth in this Agreement. Contractor must perform under this Agreement as an independent Contractor and not as a representative, employee, agent, or partner of the County.

This Agreement is between the County and an independent Contractor and, if Contractor is an individual, nothing provided for under this Agreement constitutes or implies an employer-employee relationship such that:

- i) The County will not be liable under or by reason of this Agreement for the payment of any compensation award or damages in connection with the Contractor performing the Services required under this Agreement.
- ii) Contractor is not entitled to membership in the County Pension Fund, Group Medical Insurance Program, Group Dental Program, Group Vision Care, Group Life Insurance Program, Deferred Income Program, vacation, sick leave, extended sick leave, or any other benefits ordinarily provided to individuals employed and paid through the regular payrolls of the County.
- iv) The County is not required to deduct or withhold any taxes, FICA or other deductions from any compensation provided to the Contractor.

j) Governmental Joint Purchasing Agreement

Pursuant to Section 4 of the Illinois Governmental Joint Purchasing Act (30 ILCS 525) and the Joint Purchase Agreement approved by the Cook County Board of Commissioners (April 9, 1965), other units of government may purchase goods or services under this contract.

In the event that other agencies participate in a joint procurement, the County reserves the right to renegotiate the price to accommodate the larger volume.

k) Comparable Government Procurement

As permitted by the County of Cook, other government entities, if authorized by law, may wish to purchase the goods, supplies, services or equipment under the same terms and conditions contained in this Contract (i.e., comparable government procurement). Each entity wishing to reference this Contract must have prior authorization from the County of Cook and the Contractor. If such participation is authorized, all purchase orders will be issued directly from and shipped directly to the entity requiring the goods, supplies, equipment or services supplies/services. The County shall not be held responsible for any orders placed, deliveries made or payment for the goods, supplies, equipment or services supplies/services ordered by these entities. Each entity reserves the right to determine the amount of goods, supplies, equipment or services it wishes to purchase under this Contract.

l) Force Majeure

Neither Contractor nor County shall be liable for failing to fulfill any obligation under this Contract if such failure is caused by an event beyond such party's reasonable control and which is not caused by such party's fault or negligence. Such events shall be limited to acts of God, acts of war, fires, lightning, floods, epidemics, or riots.

ARTICLE 11: NOTICES

All notices required pursuant to this Contract shall be in writing and addressed to the parties at their respective addresses set forth below. All such notices shall be deemed duly given if hand delivered or if deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, registered or certified, return receipt requested. Notice as provided herein does not waive service of summons or process.

If to the County:

Justice Advisory Council

69 West Washington Street, Room 1110

Chicago, Illinois 60602

Attention: Lanetta Haynes Turner

and

Cook County Chief Procurement Officer 118 North Clark Street. Room 1018

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Chicago, Illinois 60602

(Include County Contract Number on all notices)

If to Contractor:

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120 South LaSalle Street, Suite 900

Chicago, Illinois 60603

Attention: Diana White, Executive Director

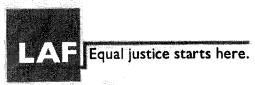
Changes in these addresses must be in writing and delivered in accordance with the provisions of this Article 11. Notices delivered by mail are considered received three days after mailing in accordance with this Article 11. Notices delivered personally are considered effective upon receipt. Refusal to accept delivery has the same effect as receipt.

ARTICLE 12: AUTHORITY

Execution of this Agreement by Contractor is authorized by a resolution of its Board of Directors, if a corporation, or similar governing document, and the signature(s) of each person signing on behalf of Contractor have been made with complete and full authority to commit Contractor to all terms and conditions of this Agreement, including each and every representation, certification and warranty contained in it, including the representations, certifications and warranties collectively incorporated by reference in it.

EXHIBIT 1

Scope of Services



March 6, 2015

Office of the Chief Procurement Officer 118 N. Clark Street, Room 1018 Chicago, IL 60602 Attention: Shannon E. Andrews, Chief Procurement Officer

Re: Recidivism Reduction Demonstration Grants (RFP No. 1553-14329)

Dear Ms. Andrews:

On behalf of the board, staff, and clients of LAF (formerly Legal Assistance Foundation of Metropolitan Chicago), thank you for the opportunity to submit this request for funding under the Recidivism Reduction Demonstration Grant Program for the Justice Advisory Council of Cook County (RFP No. 1553-14329).

LAF respectfully requests a \$24,000 grant in support of our Juvenile Expungement project. We are committed to doing the work outlined in the proposal at the amount listed in the grant proposal.

LAF's point person on this will be Richard Cozzola the Director of our Children & Families Practice Group. He has provided supervision on our Juvenile Expungement Project since 2009 and has coordinated our work to remove barriers to juvenile expungements. As Practice Group Director he supervises 15 LAF attorneys in our work in Juvenile Court, domestic violence, custody, education, and the school to prison pipeline. He has worked on Juvenile Court cases for over 30 years. The remaining members of the team funded by this proposal are the two law students who will be hired as outlined in the proposal. Mr. Cozzola will supervise the law students. Additionally the students will receive support from other LAF attorneys who have worked on Juvenile expungement issues.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact Richard Cozzola, Children & Families Practice Group Director, at 312-347-8356 or rcozzola@lafchicago.org. Thank you in advance for your consideration of this proposal.

Sincerely,

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Diana C. White Executive Director

LAF is required by law to provide all donors and with the following information: LAF is funded in part by the Legal Services Corporation. As a condition of the funding received from the Legal Services Corporation, its employees are restricted from engaging in certain activities in all of their legal work, no matter where the funding for the work comes from. LAF may not expend any funds for any activity prohibited by the Legal Services Corporation Act, 45 U.S.C. 2996 et seq. or the annual Public Laws of the United States Congress appropriating funds to the Legal Services Corporation. For a copy of these laws or for any other information or clarifications, please contact: LAF, 120 S. LaSalle St., Ste. 900, Chicago, IL 60603; Telephone (312) 229-6388.

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Section B: Agency Description LAF

LAF's mission is to provide free, high-quality civil legal services to people living in poverty and other vulnerable groups throughout Cook County. Through advocacy, education, collaboration, and litigation, we empower individuals, protect fundamental rights, strengthen communities, create opportunities, and achieve justice. In carrying out our mission, we treat everyone with compassion and respect.

LAF is organized into five Practice Groups, each focused on a major area of poverty law. The Children and Families Practice Group handles all Juvenile Court and family law work on behalf of relative caretakers and foster parents cases involving DCFS, special education and school expulsion work, as well as the juvenile expungement project. The Consumer Practice Group handles bankruptcies, foreclosure defense, predatory lending, consumer fraud, and cases arising out of our Ombudsman projects for seniors. The Housing Practice Group deals with public and subsidized housing cases in the City of Chicago and also handles some private housing and mobile home cases in the suburbs. The Immigrants and Workers' Rights Practice Group combines our immigration work, our statewide Migrant Project, our Trafficking Survivors Assistance Project (TSAP), and our work on behalf of low-wage workers The Public Benefits Practice Group covers applications for, and denials of, state and federal benefits, including TANF, SSI/SSDI, SNAP/LINK, WIC, childcare subsidies, Medicaid, Medicare, Veterans' Benefits, and crime victim benefits.

In addition to the Practice Groups, we have a Community Engagement Unit (CEU), a Client Screening Unit (CSU), a Volunteer Services Unit (VSU), and seven Task Forces. CEU's

staff forms active, ongoing partnerships with community-based organizations throughout Cook County and provides legal education to thousands of individuals who would not otherwise have access to legal services. CSU does intake, advice, some brief services, referral, and appointment-setting for all areas of LAF's practice. VSU manages LAF's relationships with pro bono attorneys and other volunteers. LAF's seven Task Forces are focused on veterans, seniors, suburban clients, people with disabilities, people living with HIV/AIDS, domestic violence survivors, and people with civil rights claims.

As part of its work, LAF coordinates the Juvenile Expungement Help Desk which was developed six years ago at the Juvenile Court. The Help Desk, which LAF staffs currently in collaboration with the Office of the Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Justice Division, the Clerk of the Circuit Court, and Cabrini Green Legal Aid, provides advice and free legal assistance to persons seeking help to prepare and file their own petitions for Juvenile Expungements. LAF also works with court staff to make the Help Desk available to the public and works to remove possible barriers in the process. Additionally, we have assisted in the development of the expunge io web application which enables individuals with juvenile records to determine whether they are eligible for a Juvenile Expungement. LAF staff have led and participated in trainings throughout Chicago and Suburban Cook on Juvenile Expungements and have been participants in national trainings on Juvenile Expungements including a webinar for the American Bar Association. Local trainings have included such organizations as the Illinois Department of Juvenile Justice, alternative schools, and Aunt Martha's. LAF also participates in a number of groups in the Chicagoland area which to assist youth and young adults aged 17-25 to remove barriers to employment, such as Thrive Chicago. LAF also collaborates with Central States SER as part of a Second Chance Grant that began recently.

Section C: Executive Summary

Juvenile arrest and court records create barriers for individuals in employment, educational and housing opportunities, and other areas. LAF has worked on increasing access to juvenile expungements for over five years and will expand its work in this area by utilizing senior law students practicing under Supreme Court Rule 711 to increase staffing at the Juvenile Expungement Help Desk. This will enable the help desk to be open five days a week instead of its current three. The students will receive training from LAF staff on juvenile expungement law and how to interview and prepare juvenile expungement petitions. LAF attorneys will review petitions for juvenile expungements and will appear in court with the students to present the petitions to the trial court. The students will be paid \$15.00 per hour and will work an average of 12 hours a week for approximately 40-42 weeks. A senior LAF attorney will devote approximately 10% of his or her time to supervising the students. The students will also collaborate with LAF's existing VISTA juvenile expungement attorney on outreach and answering questions at the help desk. Because the VISTA position is meant to focus on outreach rather than direct representation, the addition of the students will expand our ability to file petitions for clients and represent them in their expungement hearings.

A client arriving at Juvenile Court help desk will receive advice on filing petitions for expungements and be directed to the probation office to get a copy of his or her juvenile and criminal background, through a collaboration LAF has helped to establish with the probation department. If the background is can be provided relatively quickly, it will be given to the client who will then return to the help desk to meet with a help desk attorney or law student. If the time for the receipt of the record is longer, the client will prepare a release allowing LAF to receive the record when probation receives the results. Once the participant or LAF receives a copy of

his or her juvenile record, LAF will review the criminal background history to determine what juvenile records (including records of station adjustments and Juvenile Court findings) may be expunged. LAF will then work with the participant to prepare petitions for each eligible arrest, along with a petition for the waiver of filing and expungement fees, where applicable.

LAF will then, with the client's permission, file the petitions and appear in court on behalf of participant on the date of the client's expungement hearing. Based on our prior experience, once LAF determines that a participant is eligible for an expungement, and the petition is filed and the court date is set, the vast majority of participants are able to receive the expungement as long as either the client, a member of the client's family, or the attorney appear for the final hearing. The students will also work with LAF's Americorps Equal Justice attorney who focuses on outreach in Woodlawn and in alternative schools on Juvenile Expungement issues.

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Section D: Description Of The Problem

Recidivism is a real problem in Illinois. The Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority recently tracked more than 3,000 incarcerated Illinois youth and discovered that, on average, the youth were arrested five times prior to incarceration. Also, within three years of release from lockup, 86% of the youth were re-arrested, and 68% of the youth were reincarcerated.¹

One explanation for the high recidivism rate is that young people often have trouble returning to school or finding gainful work after a brush with the law. As soon as young people are arrested or incarcerated, they have a juvenile record that will act as a barrier to continuing education or obtaining employment. See Section E for more information about this problem. LAF's project will focus on "expunging," or clearing, juvenile records, so that these records will not bar youth from attending college or finding work, thereby providing youth with options other than re-offending.

Over the last several years, LAF has had a growing focus on juvenile expungement. In LAF's experience there are two critical barriers to youth seeking juvenile expungement: lack of knowledge about the Juvenile Expungement process, and the number of steps it takes for participants to have Juvenile records expunged. On the first barrier, people often believe that because the intent of the Juvenile Court originally was to keep juvenile records confidential, no one can learn about a juvenile arrest, station adjustment or conviction. The reality is quite different and people often lose housing or job opportunities because of a Juvenile arrest or conviction.

On the second barrier, LAF's experience has demonstrated that persons eligible for juvenile expungements often fail to seek expungements or give up on the process because of the

¹ See, statistics at http://www.icjia.state.il.us/public/pdf/researchreports/idjj_recidivism_delinquents_082012.pdf.

number of steps and perceived complexity of the process. A person comes to the help desk thinking that the process can be simple only to learn that she or he must complete a number of other steps. These steps include:

- a) traveling to each police department where an arrest occurred to obtain a criminal and juvenile background record from the relevant police department,
- b) determining from that record which, if any, records are eligible for expungement, and consulting with an attorney on the process,
- c) preparing a separate petition for expungement for each individual arrest for which expungement is sought,
- d) preparing a fee waiver petition for each individual arrest to waive the filing and expungement fees,
- e) preparing draft orders for each petition filed
- f) filing the petition and scheduling a hearing date, and
- g) attending the court date at which the court determines whether to grant the expungement.

Youth and young adults often begin the process, but do not complete it due to the number of steps required. For example, even where a petitioner properly files a petition, that petition cannot be granted unless the petitioner appears in court on the date of the hearing. Where the petitioner is represented by an attorney, only the attorney need appear. Our goal is to simplify the process and thus enable more people to expunge their records.

Section E: Description Of The Target Population

As soon as a young person is arrested or incarcerated, he or she has a juvenile record that will act as a barrier to continuing education or obtaining employment. The impact of a record is compounded when the young person lives in a high-poverty area that already offers limited opportunities for education and employment. LAF's project will focus on Cook County, Illinois, and in particular impoverished neighborhoods on the West and South sides of Chicago. Each of these areas has poverty populations ranging from 27 to 51%, and unemployment rates of 19 to 35.9%. LAF's project will also focus on "expunging," or clearing, juvenile records, so that these records will not bar youth from attending college or finding work, thereby providing youth with options other than re-offending.

As the largest provider of civil legal services in the state, LAF already has experience representing impoverished individuals from Cook County and particularly the West and South sides of Chicago. As noted elsewhere in this application, LAF has recently increased its focus on juvenile expungement, with two different projects: the juvenile expungement help desk, and school-based juvenile expungement clinics.

The first project, the juvenile expungement help desk, is a free walk-in legal clinic at the Juvenile Temporary Detention Center where clients can receive immediate assistance in drafting and filing their expungement petitions. The help desk serves anyone who needs expungement assistance, regardless of race, age, or income; however, the majority of clients tend to be young African-American males. This is likely due to disproportionate minority contact with law enforcement; in 2012 there were 29,922 juvenile arrests in Cook County the vast majority of

¹ See, statistics at https://data.cityofchicago.org/Health-Human-Services/Census-Data-Selected-socioeconomic-indicators-in-C/kn9c-c2s2.

which involved African American youth.² Despite the high number of juvenile arrests in Cook County, most young people never get their records expunged and thus may be permanently disadvantaged in the search for jobs, housing, and education. Attorneys at the help desk also evaluate clients' eligibility for fee waivers so that clients will not have to pay the court filing fees and costs associated with expungement, meaning the process is free to them.

The second project, the school-based clinics, is intended for students at alternative high schools on the West and South sides of Chicago. These students have encountered discipline or other problems at traditional schools and are attending the alternative schools as an option of "last resort." They often have lengthy juvenile records that act as barriers to college or career, and are therefore at high risk for recidivism. This is why LAF started the school-based clinic program. LAF coordinates with each participating school to send students on a "field trip" to the police department to get their arrest records. Then LAF brings a team of pro bono attorneys to the school to meet with students and help them prepare petitions to expunge their juvenile records. Finally, LAF files these petitions, and appears at the subsequent juvenile court hearing on behalf of the students. The students are able to clear their juvenile records without ever having to step foot in court.

For example, LAF worked with the Youth Connection Leadership Academy on such a clinic in December 2014. On the day of the clinic, the team of attorneys met with 30 students, 17 of whom were eligible to expunge their juvenile offenses. For these 17 students, the attorneys prepared a total of 87 petitions for expungement, meaning LAF was asking the court to clear a total of 87 past juvenile offenses. Thus far a total of 65 petitions have been with 13 students having all of their juvenile offenses expunged, and 1 student had most of his juvenile offenses expunged. LAF will return to court in a few months for the remaining 3 students.

² See http://www.steansfamilyfoundation.org/pdf/Juvenile_Justice_in_Illinois.pdf

Section F: Program & Implementation Schedule

The proposed project seeks to contribute to the reduction of recidivism by increasing the job and educational opportunities for persons 18-25 years of age. We will do this by reducing one of the barriers to employment – a juvenile record. Our goal is to make Juvenile Expungements more accessible to 17-25 year olds on Chicago's West and South Sides. The project will build on LAF's existing collaborations to expand the availability of the Juvenile Help Desk as a resource for achieving juvenile expungements.

LAF will utilize senior law students practicing under Supreme Court Rule 711 to add to the number of days the Help Desk is staffed, increasing availability from its current three days a week to five days. The students will receive training from LAF staff on juvenile expungement law and how to interview and prepare juvenile expungement petitions. LAF attorneys will review petitions for juvenile expungements and will appear in court with the students to present the petitions to the trial court. The students will be paid \$15.00 and will work an average of 12 hours a week for approximately 40-42 weeks. A senior LAF attorney will devote approximately 10% of his or her time to supervising the students. The students will also collaborate with LAF's existing VISTA juvenile expungement attorney on outreach and answering questions at the HELP desk. Because the VISTA position is meant to focus on outreach rather than direct representation, the addition of the students will expand our ability to actually file petitions for clients and represent them in presenting the expungement petitions to the court.

A client arriving at Juvenile Court Help Desk will receive initial advice. Staff will determine whether the person already has a copy of his/her juvenile and adult criminal background documentation. Staff will direct persons who do not have documentation to the

juvenile probation office which has two different ways to conduct background checks – a city name check and a statewide fingerprint check which takes a longer period of time.

If the background is able to be provided relatively quickly, probation staff will give it to the client who will then return to the help desk to meet with a help desk attorney or law student. If the time for the receipt of the record is longer, the client will prepare a release allowing LAF to receive the record when probation receives the results. Once the participant or LAF receives a copy of his or her juvenile record, LAF will review the criminal background history to determine what juvenile records (including records of station adjustments and Juvenile Court findings) may be expunged. LAF will then work with the participant to prepare petitions for each of the juvenile records for which the participant is eligible to expunge.

For indigent clients (almost all clients in our past experience), LAF will then file the paperwork necessary for a waiver of filing fees and petition where the participant requests LAF to do so. For clients requesting representation, LAF will appear on behalf of participant on the date of the hearing on the petition to expunge. Based on our prior experience, once LAF determines that a participant is eligible for an expungement, and the petition is filed and the court date is set, the vast majority of participants are able to receive the expungement as long as either the client or the attorney appear for the final hearing.

In addition to the services outlined above regarding juvenile expungement services, a client may identify other civil legal needs. If the identified area is one in which LAF provides services, the clients will be referred to the appropriate resource within LAF. These additional areas include helping parents obtain and retain custody of their children, helping domestic violence victims by obtaining protective and restraining orders, creating or modifying child support orders, adult criminal expungements, and driver's license access issues. Referrals may

also include housing, consumer, employment law and other areas of law. LAF may also provide legal services to participants (ranging from legal advice to representation in court and administrative proceedings) to eligible participants referred by the help desk provided that the legal issue fits within "LAF's priorities and expertise and is not prohibited by any laws or regulations governing LAF's services (i.e., Legal Services Corporation, 45 CFR, part 16 and the Illinois Rules of Professional Conduct). LAF reserves the right to determine what level of service can be provided to the client.

LAF has worked to do the groundwork for this project by working with the Office of the Presiding Judge and the Juvenile Probation Office to help establish Juvenile Court as a one-stop resource for individuals needing Juvenile Expungements. When LAF began its work several years ago on the help desk, we attempted to involve pro bono lawyers in staffing the help desk, but the number of persons seeking expungements was too small to engage volunteer attorneys. We then increased our outreach to the community on this issue to increase visibility and participated in developing the expunge io application with the Mikva Challenge to create awareness. In 2013 Cabrini Green Legal Aid (CGLA) joined the staffing at the help desk bringing and adding to its expertise in adult expungements. Together LAF and CGLA worked with the Office of the Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Justice Division, and the Juvenile Probation Office to establish a process where persons could get their criminal and juvenile background records at the Juvenile Court Building. This allowed for resolution of the previous problem of persons having to make multiple trips to various offices (court, police stations, back to court for filing and for the hearing.) Given the protocol that LAF, CGLA, the Office of the

¹ See the article documenting this process at the American Bar Association website. http://apps.americanbar.org/litigation/committees/childrights/content/articles/winter2015-0115-creative-techsolutions-juvenile-expungement.html.

Presiding Judge and Juvenile Probation established, the elements are now in place to serve clients more fully.

Schedule of Grant Activities.

- 1. Hiring of Law Stationts. LAF will begin recruitment of law students upon learning that the grant is approved. We expect to hire the students by August 1, 2015. While we regularly have summer law students (May to July 31) who are funded through law schools or private foundations, we normally have many more challenges in getting law students for the school year because such funding does not exist. The funding will greatly help with identifying law students who are more than half-way through law school and can practice in court under the supervision of an attorney in accordance with Illinois Supreme Court Rule 711. Students for this grant will begin their 40 weeks in August 2015 and continue through April of 2016.
- 2. Training of Law Students. LAF will provide training for law students beginning in August 2015. Students will receive training in the law concerning juvenile expungements, client interviewing, maintaining legal documentation in accordance with rules governing confidentiality and other ethical issues, and presenting petitions for expungement in court. Training will include lecture, demonstration, on the job mentoring with feedback on interviewing and other steps they take in the case.
- 3. Work on Juvenile Expungement Petitions. This work will begin on the extra court days (Wednesday and Friday) as soon as the law students begin work in August 2015.
 Students will learn the process by working with LAF attorneys who are working on pre-existing petitions which were initiated on the existing court days.

- 4. Evaluation. Our goal is to achieve juvenile expungements for a minimum of 25 additional persons during the next year. We will track the number of clients whose cases are initiated on those days through LAF's client management system, Legal Server. Cases will be tracked by the intake law student's name. Outcomes (the granting of a juvenile expungement and the type of expungement) will be tracked through Legal Server's Outcome data system. We will also seek to get annual filing information for all cases through the Juvenile Clerk's office which has provided this data in the past. Where clients are ineligible for juvenile expungements, we will track that information to identify these issues. Law students and LAF staff will continue to represent clients in this expansion project through to the end of the grant period.
- 5. Evaluation, Planning for Future, and Sustainability. Beginning in February we will assess whether the number of persons appearing on the additional days is enough to begin recruiting pro bono attorneys to staff the help desk on those days and whether the law student option is a better one. If the number of potential clients is sufficient to support pro bono attorneys at the help desk, we will work with LAF's volunteer service unit to recruit attorneys for the continuation of the expanded access. Indeed, we already have utilized volunteer attorneys in our school juvenile expungement clinics. If we believe that a law student approach works better based on the data we receive (number of expungement petitions presented and granted as a result of cases initiated on the additional days), we will work either to obtain continued funding with LAF's external relations office, or will work with LAF Volunteer Services unit to recruit students who would staff the Help Desk for law school credit.

SECTION G. MEASURABLE OUTCOMES

- Total number of juvenile expungement petitions filed at Juvenile Help Desk 2016 compared to 2015. (From Cook County Clerk of Court – as in past years)
- 2. Total number of juvenile expungement petitions granted at Juvenile Help Desk 2016 compared to 2015. (From Cook County Clerk of Court as in past years)
- 3. Total number of Juvenile Expungements filed which result from client contact on additional intake dates supported by this grant. (Data From LAF Case Management System Goal = Minimum of 25 Individuals for whom an expungement is filed.)
- 4. Total number of Juvenile Expungements granted which result from client contact on additional intake dates supported by this grant. (Data From LAF Case Management System Goal = Minimum of 25 Individuals for whom an expungement is filed.)
- Total number of clients referred to community agencies for other resources (e.g.
 Employment or School Assistance) (Data from LAF Case Management System)
- 6. Total number of clients who receive advice or legal assistance on an issue in addition to juvenile expungement. (Data from LAF Case Management System)

Section H. Planning and Preparation

As noted in earlier sections, some of the planning for this project has already taken place. To recap, LAF has worked to do the groundwork for this project by working with the Office of the Presiding Judge and the Juvenile Probation Office to help establish Juvenile Court as a one-stop resource for individuals needing Juvenile Expungements. When LAF began its work several years ago on this project, we attempted to involve pro bono lawyers in staffing the help desk, but the number of persons seeking expungements was too small to engage volunteer attorneys. We increased our outreach to the community on this issue to increase visibility and participated in developing the expunge io application with the Mikva Challenge to create awareness. In 2013 Cabrini Green Legal Aid (CGLA) joined the staffing at the help desk bringing and adding to its expertise in adult expungements.

Together LAF and CGLA worked with the Office of the Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Justice Division, and the Juvenile Probation Office to establish a process where persons could get their criminal and juvenile background records at the Juvenile Court Building. This allowed for resolution of the previous problem of persons having to make multiple trips to various offices (court, police stations, back to court for filing and for the hearing.) Given the plan that LAF, CGLA, the Office of the Presiding Judge and Juvenile Probation established, the elements are now in place to serve clients more fully.

The protocol we have established helps ensure that when clients come to Juvenile Court they will be able to receive their record promptly, or if they are not able to do so, that they can agree to LAF receiving their records so that LAF can initiate the preparing of the court petitions.

LAF regularly meets with the Office of the Presiding Judge, Probation, the Court Clerk and

CGLA on juvenile expungement issues to refine the process and eliminate any unnecessary barriers. We expect this process to continue.

Additional planning will include the hiring of law students in the summer of 2015 as outlined in our timeline. **LAF has an** existing process for posting openings, hiring and paying of part time employees.

Additional planning will also include training. At LAF training is coordinated by our Director of Training who provides training on overall issues such as client interviewing, ethics, and record keeping, and the law student's immediate supervisor, who provides focused training on the specific issues on which the student works.

Finally, as part of the ongoing planning process on Juvenile Expungements, the Juvenile Probation office has developed a protocol for the Juvenile Expungement Help Desk to facilitate referrals of clients to their office to obtain their criminal and juvenile background information.

Section K: Qualifications of the Proposer

LAF began as part of the War on Poverty in 1965 and became incorporated in 1972. Originally, LAF operated only within Chicago, but our service area expanded to encompass all of Cook County in 1999. In 2009, we centralized our intake system so that clients can register by phone, regardless of location. In 2011, we centralized all operations into one office in downtown Chicago and reorganized our staff into five Practice Groups: Children & Families, Public Benefits, Immigrants & Workers' Rights, Housing, and Consumer. In 2014, we launched online intake. Now more than 8% of our clients reach us by requesting our help over the Internet. Today, LAF employs approximately 150 staff attorneys, paralegals, support, and other staff.

LAF began several years ago to eliminate barriers to expungements. We began by developing a project with AmeriCorps VISTA to staff the Juvenile Expungement Help Desk. That taught us many of the barriers listed above. We then began working with the Juvenile Court Clerk's office, the probation office, and the Office of the Presiding Judge to eliminate barriers. We began conducting an extensive series of community presentations to educate primarily in Chicago's poorest neighborhoods to educate people about the expungement process. We worked with the clerk's office to simplify the process for filing fee waivers for indigent clients.

To simplify the multiple steps needed for juvenile expungements, we developed a successful model for an on-site clinic which we have used in school settings and which is replicable in other community based programs described in section E. When we have conducted these programs, a high percentage of participants have successfully completed the expungement process.

As an example of the success of this project consider the following. In 2013, the last year for which we have complete numbers, 685 petitions for Juvenile expungements were filed, the

number was an increase of over 100 from the year before, showing that our beginning outreach had increased the use of juvenile expungements. More importantly, our clinic approach led to our recent filing of over juvenile expungement 70 petitions on one day. This one day total was more than 10 percent of what had previously been the highest annual total of which we were aware. Our work has led to yet another improvement. Our collaboration with the Office of the Presiding Judge, and the Clerk of the Court has provided access to a much quicker time on juvenile and criminal background checks. The probation office will either be able to do Chicago name checks based on a person's name or a statewide background check based on a fingerprint. This will eliminate the need for persons to be sent to local police offices when they arrive at the Juvenile Expungement Help Desk. Our collaborative model will enable us to prepare and file the petitions for clients, eliminating the need for unnecessary trips for clients to the court.

We believe that with the addition of two part time law students supervised by an attorney we will easily be able to achieve the RFP's goal of providing additional services to twenty-five people and greatly exceed that number during the grant period.

Finally LAF has a long history of excellence. It has won significant cases on behalf of clients in Illinois trial and appellate courts and in federal courts from the Northern District of Illinois to the United States Supreme Court. Richard Cozzola, who will supervise this project, has been honored as an outstanding public interest lawyer by the Chicago Bar Foundation and Loyola University School of Law. He has taught trial skills in Juvenile Court cases to attorneys and law students across the country, and presents regularly at conferences sponsored by the American Bar Association's Center on Children and the Law, and the National Association of Counsel for Children. Other LAF staff have received national recognition from the American Bar Association, the Chicago Bar Foundation and other organizations.

Section M: Subcontracting or Teaming

We do not anticipate the utilization of any subcontractors.

Teaming. The primary team members are as follows:

Cook County Juvenile Court Probation Office. This office has two primary roles. First it will refer persons completing Juvenile Probation to the Juvenile Expungement Help Desk for assistance. Second, it will provide services enabling clients at the Juvenile Help Desk to receive their Juvenile and Adult Criminal Background records at Juvenile Court. Additionally the office will participate in planning meetings with LAF, the Office of the Presiding Judge of Juvenile Justice, and Cabrini Green Legal Aid, along with other court offices.

Office of the Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Justice Division. This office has and will continue to facilitate meetings to assist in making the Juvenile Expungement help desk and court process available to eligible clients. The office has conducted meetings with interested parties for several years, ensuring the collaboration of all offices involved.

Cabrini Green Legal Aid. Like LAF, CGLA provides staffing for the help desk as part of its range of services. It also adds its expertise in the related area of adult expungements, and other forms of record relief. Additionally CGLA provides legal services to clients in Juvenile Delinquency and other matters.



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March 5, 2015

Dear Ms. Andrews,

I am pleased to support the Legal Assistance Foundation's (LAF) application for the recidivism reduction seed grant. LAF's grant proposal is to expand the services currently being offered at Juvenile Court's expungement desk.

If awarded this grant, LAF would be able to staff the expungement desk five (5) days a week. Presently, the expungement desk is staffed three (3) days a week. This grant would give LAF the opportunity to train local law students in the expungement process and many more young people would be able to take advantage of this service.

The expungement process allows youth to erase their juvenile court and juvenile arrest records. The expungement process affords youth an avenue to seek employment and other opportunities that they may not have been eligible for if that process was not made available to them. It is our hope that these efforts will help reduce recidivism for our court involved youth.

LAF has had a long standing relationship with our Court. Their work has helped to improve the lives of our youth. I fully support their grant application and look forward to working with them with these expanded services.

Very truly, yours,

Michael P. Toomin Presiding Judge

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March 5, 2015

Office of the Chief Procurement Officer Attention: Shannon E. Andrews, Chief Procurement Officer 118 N. Clark Street, Room 1018 Chicago, IL 60602

Dear Ms. Andrews,

Cook County Juvenile Probation and Court Services is pleased to sign this letter of support for the LAF proposal to expand services at the juvenile expungement help desk. Our department, along with the Cook County Clerk's office, and Cabrini Green Legal Aid have worked together for several years to make the juvenile expungement process more accessible for clients.

We have reviewed the narrative of the project are in support of the services. Expanding access to the Juvenile Help desk is important step in determining whether expanding accessibility leads to significant increases in expungements.

Over the past several years LAF has worked with the above groups to streamline the process. This work has culminated in our now having the ability to provide criminal background records to persons seeking to expunge their juvenile records.

This project will benefit clients of our office by enabling more persons with Juvenile records to receive juvenile expungements. It is our hope that doing so will help these clients in turn with job and school opportunities thereby reducing the potential for recidivism.

LAF's work with us has been marked by professionalism and the goal of helping who have the potential to avoid recidivism, but who often need extra help to achieve this goal. We look forward to working on this and other projects on juvenile expungements with LAF.

If you have questions or concerns please feel free to contact me at 312.433.4497 or Melissa.parise@cookcountyil.gov

Sincerely,

Melissa Spooner

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Deputy Chief Probation Officer, IDAI/Research and Policy

CGLA Cabrini Green Legal Aid

Office of the Chief Procurement Officer 118 N. Clark St. Room 1018 Attn: Shannon E Andrews, Chief Procurement Officer

RE: Letter of Collaboration Regarding LAF Proposal for Expansion of Access at Juvenile Expungement Help Desk

To whom it may concern:

Our office is pleased to sign this letter of collaboration with LAF for its proposal to expand services at the Juvenile Expungement Help Desk. LAF, together with our office, the Juvenile Probation office, the Office of the Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Justice Division, and the Court Clerk's office have worked together to make the juvenile expungement process more accessible for clients.

Our office joined LAF at the Juvenile Help desk in 2013, after LAF had begun work there several years prior. CGLA has been providing legal services to the low-income community for over forty years. Since 2005, CGLA has operated the Adult Expungement Help Desk at the Daley Center, which now serves approximately 5,000 patrons per year. CGLA values our collaboration with other organizations such as LAF in helping individuals who have been impacted by the criminal justice system to rebuild their lives.

This project will benefit persons formerly involved with Juvenile court by enabling more of them to receive juvenile expungements. It is our hope that doing so will help these clients in turn with job and school opportunities thereby reducing the potential for recidivism. Expansion of the help desk is an important resource for the community at large.

LAF has worked with us to achieve the goal of helping those with juvenile records to clear their records. We look forward to working on this and other projects on Juvenile Expungement issues with LAF.

Sincerely,

Beth Johnson

Director of Legal Program

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EXHIBIT 2

Schedule of Compensation

Proposers are required to submit the below pricing proposal (budget) separate from the technical proposal (program narrative portion of the proposal). The pricing proposal must be submitted in the form of a hard copy and in an electronic format.

your firm's recommendations on a separate sheet. If your company has specific, unique and/or innovative ideas to implement this system that are outside of the parameters defined on the pricing proposal, please provide

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Appendix II - Budget Justification Form (Budget Narrative)

Narrative Justification: Enter a description of the personnel and fringe benefit funds requested and how their use will support the purpose and goals of your proposal. If your proposal includes partner organizations, please briefly explain each organizations role, amount of grant funding to be dispersed to each organization and how each organization will be held accountable to the terms of the grant as outlined by the proposal.
No fringe benefits. Personnel funds pay \$15.00/hr for 12 hours week for law students (40 weeks) who will provide legal advice and
advocacy at Juvenile Help Desk. The 9.24% of salary is for practice group director/attorney supervisor Richard Cozzola who will
provide overall supervision and coordination See SubSection M of proposal for discussion of partner roles.
No grant funding will be disbursed to partnersSee subsection F for description of how funds support personnel to support goal of project.
Contract/Consultant Narrative Justification: Enter a description of the contract services and/or consultants funds requested and how their use will support the purpose and goals of your proposal. Please briefly include the qualifications of each contractor service provider and/or consultant.
No consultants are part of this grant proposal.
Equipment Narrative Justification: Enter a description of the equipment and how its purchase will support the purpose and goals of this proposal.
No equipment is part of this grant proposal.

Materials and Supplies Narrative Justification: Enter a description of the Materials and Supplies requested and how their
purchase will support the purpose and goals of this proposal.
No materials and supplies are part of this grant proposal.
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No printing is part of this grant proposal.
Other Direct Costs Narrative Justification: Enter a description of each item and how their use will support the purpose and goals of this proposal.
No other direct costs are part of this grant proposal.
Indirect Costs Narrative Justification: Enter a description of each item and how their purchase will support the purpose and goals of this proposal.
No indirect costs are part of this grant proposal.

Sustainability

Narrative Justification: Enter a description of how the applicant organization has entertained the question of sustainability beyond the Recidivism funds (if awarded). Please describe how you intend to continue the program operations after the grant ends.

Sustainability is discussed in detail in Section F, Page 5, Section 5. That section describes two

sustainability options: 1) a pro bono attorney model which would be developed with LAF's

Volunteer Services Unit and 2) a law student model which focus either developing other funding sources

based on the outcomes of this proposal or on law students who become involved for class credit in law school.

EXHIBIT 3

Evidence of Insurance



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

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OP ID: DC

05/11/2015

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

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Cook County, its officials, employees and agents are Additional Insureds for General Liability per a written agreement.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER	CANCELLATION
Cook County Chief Procurement Officer	SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.
118 N. Clark St. Room 1018 Chicago, IL 60602	AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

COOK COUNTY ECONOMIC DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AND EXECUTION DOCUMENT INDEX

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SECTION 1 INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION OF ECONOMIC DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AND EXECUTION DOCUMENT

This Economic Disclosure Statement and Execution Document ("EDS") is to be completed and executed by every Bidder on a County contract, every Proposer responding to a Request for Proposals, and every Respondent responding to a Request for Qualifications, and others as required by the Chief Procurement Officer. The execution of the EDS shall serve as the execution of a contract awarded by the County. The Chief Procurement Officer reserves the right to request that the Bidder or Proposer, or Respondent provide an updated EDS on an annual basis.

Definitions. Terms used in this EDS and not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings given to such terms in the Instructions to Bidders, General Conditions, Request for Proposals, Request for Qualifications, as applicable.

Affiliate means a person that directly or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, Controls is Controlled by, or is under common Control with the Person specified.

Applicant means a person who executes this EDS.

Bidder means any person who submits a Bid.

Code means the Code of Ordinances, Cook County, Illinois available on municode.com.

Contract shall include any written document to make Procurements by or on behalf of Cook County.

Contractor or Contracting Party means a person that enters into a Contract with the County.

Control means the unfettered authority to directly or indirectly manage governance, administration, work, and all other aspects of a business.

EDS means this complete Economic Disclosure Statement and Execution Document, including all sections listed in the Index and any attachments.

Joint Venture means an association of two or more Persons proposing to perform a forprofit business enterprise. Joint Ventures must have an agreement in writing specifying the terms and conditions of the relationship between the partners and their relationship and respective responsibility for the Contract

Lobby or lobbying means to, for compensation, attempt to influence a County official or County employee with respect to any County matter.

Lobbyist means any person who lobbies.

Person or Persons means any individual, corporation, partnership, Joint Venture, trust, association, Limited Liability Company, sole proprietorship or other legal entity.

Prohibited Acts means any of the actions or occurrences which form the basis for disqualification under the Code, or under the Certifications hereinafter set forth.

Proposal means a response to an RFP.

Proposer means a person submitting a Proposal.

Response means response to an RFQ.

Respondent means a person responding to an RFQ.

RFP means a Request for Proposals issued pursuant to this Procurement Code.

RFQ means a Request for Qualifications issued to obtain the qualifications of interested parties.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION OF ECONOMIC DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AND EXECUTION DOCUMENT

Section 1: Instructions. Section 1 sets forth the instructions for completing and executing this EDS.

Section 2: Certifications. Section 2 sets forth certifications that are required for contracting parties under the Code and other applicable laws. Execution of this EDS constitutes a warranty that all the statements and certifications contained, and all the facts stated, in the Certifications are true, correct and complete as of the date of execution.

Section 3: Economic and Other Disclosures Statement. Section 3 is the County's required Economic and Other Disclosures Statement form. Execution of this EDS constitutes a warranty that all the information provided in the EDS is true, correct and complete as of the date of execution, and binds the Applicant to the warranties, representations, agreements and acknowledgements contained therein.

Required Updates. The Applicant is required to keep all information provided in this EDS current and accurate. In the event of any change in the information provided, including but not limited to any change which would render inaccurate or incomplete any certification or statement made in this EDS, the Applicant shall supplement this EDS up to the time the County takes action, by filing an amended EDS or such other documentation as is required.

Additional Information. The County's Governmental Ethics and Campaign Financing Ordinances impose certain duties and obligations on persons or entities seeking County contracts, work, business, or transactions, and the Applicant is expected to comply fully with these ordinances. For further information please contact the Director of Ethics at (312) 603-4304 (69 W. Washington St. Suite 3040, Chicago, IL 60602) or visit the web-site at cookcountyil.gov/ethics-board-of.

Authorized Signers of Contract and EDS Execution Page. If the Applicant is a corporation, the President and Secretary must execute the EDS. In the event that this EDS is executed by someone other than the President, attach hereto a certified copy of that section of the Corporate By-Laws or other authorization by the Corporation, satisfactory to the County that permits the person to execute EDS for said corporation. If the corporation is not registered in the State of Illinois, a copy of the Certificate of Good Standing from the state of incorporation must be submitted with this Signature Page.

If the Applicant is a partnership or joint venture, all partners or joint venturers must execute the EDS, unless one partner or joint venture has been authorized to sign for the partnership or joint venture, in which case, the partnership agreement, resolution or evidence of such authority satisfactory to the Office of the Chief Procurement Officer must be submitted with this Signature Page.

If the Applicant is a member-managed LLC all members must execute the EDS, unless otherwise provided in the operating agreement, resolution or other corporate documents. If the Applicant is a manager-managed LLC, the manager(s) must execute the EDS. The Applicant must attach either a certified copy of the operating agreement, resolution or other authorization, satisfactory to the County, demonstrating such person has the authority to execute the EDS on behalf of the LLC. If the LLC is not registered in the State of Illinois, a copy of a current Certificate of Good Standing from the state of incorporation must be submitted with this Signature Page.

If the Applicant is a Sole Proprietorship, the sole proprietor must execute the EDS.

A "Partnership" "Joint Venture" or "Sole Proprietorship" operating under an Assumed Name must be registered with the Illinois county in which it is located, as provided in 805 ILCS 405 (2012), and documentation evidencing registration must be submitted with the EDS.

SECTION 2

CERTIFICATIONS

THE FOLLOWING CERTIFICATIONS ARE MADE PURSUANT TO STATE LAW AND THE CODE. THE APPLICANT IS CAUTIONED TO CAREFULLY READ THESE CERTIFICATIONS PRIOR TO SIGNING THE SIGNATURE PAGE. SIGNING THE SIGNATURE PAGE SHALL CONSTITUTE A WARRANTY BY THE APPLICANT THAT ALL THE STATEMENTS, CERTIFICATIONS AND INFORMATION SET FORTH WITHIN THESE CERTIFICATIONS ARE TRUE, COMPLETE AND CORRECT AS OF THE DATE THE SIGNATURE PAGE IS SIGNED. THE APPLICANT IS NOTIFIED THAT IF THE COUNTY LEARNS THAT ANY OF THE FOLLOWING CERTIFICATIONS WERE FALSELY MADE, THAT ANY CONTRACT ENTERED INTO WITH THE APPLICANT SHALL BE SUBJECT TO TERMINATION.

A. PERSONS AND ENTITIES SUBJECT TO DISQUALIFICATION

No person or business entity shall be awarded a contract or sub-contract, for a period of five (5) years from the date of conviction or entry of a plea or admission of guilt, civil or criminal, if that person or business entity:

- Has been convicted of an act committed, within the State of Illinois, of bribery or attempting to bribe an officer
 or employee of a unit of state, federal or local government or school district in the State of Illinois in that
- Has been convicted by federal, state or local government of an act of bid-rigging or attempting to rig bids as defined in the Sherman Anti-Trust Act and Clayton Act. Act. 15 U.S.C. Section 1 et seq.;
- 3) Has been convicted of bid-rigging or attempting to rig bids under the laws of federal, state or local government;
- 4) Has been convicted of an act committed, within the State, of price-fixing or attempting to fix prices as defined by the Sherman Anti-Trust Act and the Clayton Act. 15 U.S.C. Section 1, et sea.;
- 5) Has been convicted of price-fixing or attempting to fix prices under the laws the State;
- 6) Has been convicted of defrauding or attempting to defraud any unit of state or local government or school district within the State of Illinois:
- 7) Has made an admission of guilt of such conduct as set forth in subsections (1) through (6) above which admission is a matter of record, whether or not such person or business entity was subject to prosecution for the offense or offenses admitted to: or
- 8) Has entered a plea of *nolo contendere* to charge of bribery, price-fixing, bid-rigging, or fraud, as set forth in sub-paragraphs (1) through (6) above.

In the case of bribery or attempting to bribe, a business entity may not be awarded a contract if an official, agent or employee of such business entity committed the Prohibited Act on behalf of the business entity and pursuant to the direction or authorization of an officer, director or other responsible official of the business entity, and such Prohibited Act occurred within three years prior to the award of the contract. In addition, a business entity shall be disqualified if an owner, partner or shareholder controlling, directly or indirectly, 20% or more of the business entity, or an officer of the business entity has performed any Prohibited Act within five years prior to the award of the Contract.

THE APPLICANT HEREBY CERTIFIES THAT: The Applicant has read the provisions of Section A, Persons and Entities Subject to Disqualification, that the Applicant has not committed any Prohibited Act set forth in Section A, and that award of the Contract to the Applicant would not violate the provisions of such Section or of the Code.

B. BID-RIGGING OR BID ROTATING

THE APPLICANT HEREBY CERTIFIES THAT: In accordance with 720 ILCS 5/33 E-11, neither the Applicant nor any Affiliated Entity is barred from award of this Contract as a result of a conviction for the violation of State laws prohibiting bid-rigging or bid rotating.

C. DRUG FREE WORKPLACE ACT

THE APPLICANT HEREBY CERTIFIES THAT: The Applicant will provide a drug free workplace, as required by (30 ILCS 580/3).

D. DELINQUENCY IN PAYMENT OF TAXES

THE APPLICANT HEREBY CERTIFIES THAT: The Applicant is not an owner or a party responsible for the payment of any tax or fee administered by Cook County, by a local municipality, or by the Illinois Department of Revenue, which such tax or fee is delinquent, such as bar award of a contract or subcontract pursuant to the Code, Chapter 34, Section 34-171.

E. HUMAN RIGHTS ORDINANCE

No person who is a party to a contract with Cook County ("County") shall engage in unlawful discrimination or sexual harassment against any individual in the terms or conditions of employment, credit, public accommodations, housing, or provision of County facilities, services or programs (Code Chapter 42, Section 42-30 et seq.).

F. ILLINOIS HUMAN RIGHTS ACT

THE APPLICANT HEREBY CERTIFIES THAT: It is in compliance with the Illinois Human Rights Act (775 ILCS 5/2-105), and agrees to abide by the requirements of the Act as part of its contractual obligations.

G. INSPECTOR GENERAL (COOK COUNTY CODE, CHAPTER 34, SECTION 34-174 and Section 34-250)

The Applicant has not willfully failed to cooperate in an investigation by the Cook County Independent Inspector General or to report to the Independent Inspector General any and all information concerning conduct which they know to involve corruption, or other criminal activity, by another county employee or official, which concerns his or her office of employment or County related transaction.

The Applicant has reported directly and without any undue delay any suspected or known fraudulent activity in the County's Procurement process to the Office of the Cook County Inspector General.

H. CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS (COOK COUNTY CODE, CHAPTER 2, SECTION 2-585)

THE APPLICANT CERTIFIES THAT: It has read and shall comply with the Cook County's Ordinance concerning campaign contributions, which is codified at Chapter 2, Division 2, Subdivision II, Section 585, and can be read in its entirety at www.municode.com.

I. GIFT BAN, (COOK COUNTY CODE, CHAPTER 2, SECTION 2-574)

THE APPLICANT CERTIFIES THAT: It has read and shall comply with the Cook County's Ordinance concerning receiving and soliciting gifts and favors, which is codified at Chapter 2, Division 2, Subdivision II, Section 574, and can be read in its entirety at www.municode.com.

J. LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE PREFERENCE (COOK COUNTY CODE, CHAPTER 34, SECTION 34-160;

Unless expressly waived by the Cook County Board of Commissioners, the Code requires that a living wage must be paid to individuals employed by a Contractor which has a County Contract and by all subcontractors of such Contractor under a County Contract, throughout the duration of such County Contract. The amount of such living wage is annually by the Chief Financial Officer of the County, and shall be posted on the Chief Procurement Officer's website.

The term "Contract" as used in Section 4, I, of this EDS, specifically excludes contracts with the following:

- Not-For Profit Organizations (defined as a corporation having tax exempt status under Section 501(C)(3) of the United State Internal Revenue Code and recognized under the Illinois State not-for -profit law);
- 2) Community Development Block Grants;
- 3) Cook County Works Department;
- Sheriff's Work Alternative Program; and
- 5) Department of Correction inmates.

SECTION 3

REQUIRED DISCLOSURES

1.	DISCLOSURE OF LOBBYIST CONTACTS
List all	persons that have made lobbying contacts on your behalf with respect to this contract:
Name	Address
2.	LOCAL BUSINESS PREFERENCE STATEMENT (CODE, CHAPTER 34, SECTION 34-230)
and whi	usiness means a Person, including a foreign corporation authorized to transact business in Illinois, having a bona fide ihment located within the County at which it is transacting business on the date when a Bid is submitted to the County, ich employs the majority of its regular, full-time work force within the County. A Joint Venture shall constitute a Local is if one or more Persons that qualify as a "Local Business" hold interests totaling over 50 percent in the Joint Venture, the Joint Venture does not, at the time of the Bid submittal, have such a bona fide establishment within the County.
	a) Is Applicant a "Local Business" as defined above? Yes: No:
	b) If yes, list business addresses within Cook County:
	120 S La Salle St., Ste 900 Chicago, IL 60603
	c) Does Applicant employ the majority of its regular full-time workforce within Cook County? Yes: No:
3.	THE CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT ORDINANCE (CODE, CHAPTER 34, SECTION 34-172)

Every Applicant for a County Privilege shall be in full compliance with any child support order before such Applicant is entitled to receive or renew a County Privilege. When delinquent child support exists, the County shall not issue or renew any County Privilege, and may revoke any County Privilege.

All Applicants are required to review the Cook County Affidavit of Child Support Obligations attached to this EDS (EDS-5) and complete the Affidavit, based on the instructions in the Affidavit.

4.	REAL E	STATE OWNERSHIP DISCLOSURES	.
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		PERMANENT INDEX NUMBER(S):	N/H
		-	(ATTACH SHEET IF NECESSARY TO LIST ADDITIONAL INDEX
			NUMBERS)
OR:			
	b)	The Applicant owns no real	estate in Cook County.
5.	EXCEP	PTIONS TO CERTIFICATIONS OR DIS	CLOSURES.
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COOK COUNTY DISCLOSURE OF OWNERSHIP INTEREST STATEMENT

The Cook County Code of Ordinances (§2-610 et seq.) requires that any Applicant for any County Action must disclose information concerning ownership interests in the Applicant. This Disclosure of Ownership Interest Statement must be completed with all information current as of the date this Statement is signed. Furthermore, this Statement must be kept current, by filing an amended Statement, until such time as the County Board or County Agency shall take action on the application. The information contained in this Statement will be maintained in a database and made available for public viewing.

If you are asked to list names, but there are no applicable names to list, you must state NONE. An incomplete Statement will be returned and any action regarding this contract will be delayed. A failure to fully comply with the ordinance may result in the action taken by the County Board or County Agency being voided.

"Applicant" means any Entity or person making an application to the County for any County Action.

"County Action" means any action by a County Agency, a County Department, or the County Board regarding an ordinance or ordinance amendment, a County Board approval, or other County agency approval, with respect to contracts, leases, or sale or purchase of real estate.

"Person" "Entity" or "Legal Entity" means a sole proprietorship, corporation, partnership, association, business trust, estate, two or more persons having a joint or common interest, trustee of a land trust, other commercial or legal entity or any beneficiary or beneficiaries thereof.

This Disclosure of Ownership Interest Statement must be submitted by :

1. An Applicant for County Action and

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2. A Person that holds stock or a beneficial interest in the Applicant and is listed on the Applicant's Statement (a "Holder") must file a Statement and complete #1 only under Ownership Interest Declaration

Please print or type responses clearly and legibly. Add additional pages if needed, being careful to identify each portion of the form to which each additional page refers.

This St	atement is being made	by the [X] Applicant	or [] Stock/Beneficial Interest Holder
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I state under oath that the Holder has withheld no disclosure as to ownership interest nor reserved any information required to be disclosed.

Diking C. White Name of Authorized Applicant/Holder Representative (please print or type)	Executive Director_
Diana C Whin	5/11/15
Signature	Date 3/2-347-8359
<u>Aunite@latchicago.org</u> E-mail address	Phone Number
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COOK COUNTY BOARD OF ETHICS 69 W. WASHINGTON STREET, SUITE 3040 CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60602 312/603-4304 Office 312/603-9988 Fax

FAMILIAL RELATIONSHIP DISCLOSURE PROVISION

Nepotism Disclosure Requirement:

Doing a significant amount of business with the County requires that you disclose to the Board of Ethics the existence of any familial relationships with any County employee or any person holding elective office in the State of Illinois, the County, or in any municipality within the County. The Ethics Ordinance defines a significant amount of business for the purpose of this disclosure requirement as more than \$25,000 in aggregate County leases, contracts, purchases or sales in any calendar year.

If you are unsure of whether the business you do with the County or a County agency will cross this threshold, err on the side of caution by completing the attached familial disclosure form because, among other potential penalties, any person found guilty of failing to make a required disclosure or knowingly filing a false, misleading, or incomplete disclosure will be prohibited from doing any business with the County for a period of three years. The required disclosure should be filed with the Board of Ethics by January 1 of each calendar year in which you are doing business with the County and again with each bid/proposal/quotation to do business with Cook County. The Board of Ethics may assess a late filing fee of \$100 per day after an initial 30-day grace period.

The person that is doing business with the County must disclose his or her familial relationships. If the person on the County lease or contract or purchasing from or selling to the County is a business entity, then the business entity must disclose the familial relationships of the individuals who are and, during the year prior to doing business with the County, were:

- its board of directors,
- · its officers,
- · its employees or independent contractors responsible for the general administration of the entity,
- its agents authorized to execute documents on behalf of the entity, and
- its employees who directly engage or engaged in doing work with the County on behalf of the entity.

Do not hesitate to contact the Board of Ethics at (312) 603-4304 for assistance in determining the scope of any required familial relationship disclosure.

Additional Definitions:

"Familial relationship" means a person who is a spouse, domestic partner or civil union partner of a County employee or State, County or municipal official, or any person who is related to such an employee or official, whether by blood, marriage or adoption, as a:

Grandparent	Stepfather
☐ Grandchild	Stepmother
☐ Father-in-law	Stepson
☐ Mother-in-law	Stepdaughter
☐ Son-in-law	Stepbrother
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Brother-in-law	Half-brother
Sister-in-law	Half-sister
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COOK COUNTY BOARD OF ETHICS FAMILIAL RELATIONSHIP DISCLOSURE FORM

A.	PERSON DOING OR SEEKING TO DO BUSINESS WITH THE COUNTY
	Name of Person Doing Business with the County:
	Address of Person Doing Business with the County: 120 S. LaSalle St., Ste. 900
	Phone number of Person Doing Business with the County: <u>312-347-8359</u>
	Email address of Person Doing Business with the County: _dwhite@lafchicago.org
	If Person Doing Business with the County is a Business Entity, provide the name, title and contact information for the individual completing this disclosure on behalf of the Person Doing Business with the County:
	Diana White, Executive Director, 312-347-8359, dwhite@lafchicago.org
В.	DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS WITH THE COUNTY Append additional pages as needed and for each County lease, contract, purchase or sale sought and/or obtained during the calendar year of this disclosure (or the proceeding calendar year if disclosure is made on January 1), identify:
	The lease number, contract number, purchase order number, request for proposal number and/or request for qualification number associated with the business you are doing or seeking to do with the County:
	Contract No. 1553-14329A
	The aggregate dollar value of the business you are doing or seeking to do with the County: \$24,000
	The name, title and contact information for the County official(s) or employee(s) involved in negotiating the business you are doing or seeking to do with the County: Lanetta Haynes Turner, Justice Advisory Council,
	69 W. Washington Street, Room 1110, Chicago, IL 60602
	The name, title and contact information for the County official(s) or employee(s) involved in managing the business you are doing or seeking to do with the County: Lanetta Haynes Turner, Justice Advisory Council,
	69 W. Washington Street, Room 1110, Chicago, IL 60602
C.	DISCLOSURE OF FAMILIAL RELATIONSHIPS WITH COUNTY EMPLOYEES OR STATE, COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL ELECTED OFFICIALS
	Check the box that applies and provide related information where needed
П	The Person Doing Business with the County is an individual and there is no familial relationship between this individual and any Cook County employee or any person holding elective office in the State of Illinois, Cook County, or any municipality within Cook County.
0	The Person Doing Business with the County is a business entity and there is no familial relationship between any member of this business entity's board of directors, officers, persons responsible for general administration of the business entity, agents authorized to execute documents on behalf of the business entity or employees directly engaged in contractual work with the County on behalf of the business entity, and any Cook County employee or any person holding elective office in the State of Illinois, Cook County, or any municipality within Cook County.

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Name of Related County Business with the County Municipal Elected Official If more space is needed, attach an additional sheet following the above format. XI The Person Doing Business with the County is a business entity and there is a familial relationship between a one member of this business entity's board of directors, officers, persons responsible for general administration of business entity, agents authorized to execute documents on behalf of the business entity, and/or employees direct engaged in contractual work with the County on behalf of the business entity, on the one hand, and at least one County employee and/or a person holding elective office in the State of Illinois, Cook County, and/or any municipality within Cook County, on the other. The familial relationships are as follows: Name of Member of Board of Director for Business Entity Doing Business with the County William Von Hoene Marilyn Ross Lucrecia Catchings Marilyn Ross Name of Officer for Business Entity Doing Business with the County Employee or State, County or Municipal Elected Official Name of Related County Employee or State, County or Municipal Elected Official Name of Related County Employee or State, County or Municipal Elected Official Nature of Familial Relationship Relationship Nature of Familial Relationship	موموا غم أمسم المسالين السالين السالين المسالين المسالين المسالين المسالين المسالين المسالين المسالين المسالين	t and Cook County employee	individual and there is a familial rand/or a person or persons holding whin Cook County. The familial relationship	elective diffee in the prate of
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* Spouse, domestic partner, civil union partner or parent, child, sibling, aunt, uncle, niece, nephew, grandparent or grandchild by blood, marriage (i.e. in laws and step relations) or adoption.

SECTION 4

CONTRACT AND EDS EXECUTION PAGE PLEASE EXECUTE THREE ORIGINALS

The Applicant hereby certifies and warrants: that all of the statements, certifications and representations set forth in this EDS are true, complete and correct; that the Applicant is in full compliance and will continue to be in compliance throughout the term of the Contract or County Privilege issued to the Applicant with all the policies and requirements set forth in this EDS; and that all facts and information provided by the Applicant in this EDS are true, complete and correct. The Applicant agrees to inform the Chief Procurement Officer in writing if any of such statements, certifications, representations, facts or information becomes or is found to be untrue, incomplete or incorrect during the term of the Contract or County Privilege.

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SECTION 5 COOK COUNTY SIGNATURE PAGE

ON BEHALF OF THE COUNTY OF COOK, A BODY POLITIC AND CORPORATE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THIS CONTRACT IS HEREBY EXECUTED BY: COOK COUNTY CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER DATED AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS THIS IN THE CASE OF A BID/ PROPOSAL/RESPONSE, THE COUNTY HEREBY ACCEPTS: THE FOREGOING BID/PROPOSAL/RESPONSE AS IDENTIFIED IN THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS FOR CONTRACT NUMBER OR ITEM(S), SECTION(S), PART(S):_____ 24,000 TOTAL AMOUNT OF CONTRACT: (DOLLARS AND CENTS) FUND CHARGEABLE: APPROVED AS TO FORM: ASSISTANT STATE'S ATTORNEY (Required on contracts over \$1,000,000.00)